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# THE FAYETTEVILLE OBSERVER.

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Come One! Come All!

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## THE OBSERVER.

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### NEWS AND COMMENTS.

THE Wilmington *Star* and the Wilmington *Messenger* daily contained very excellent reports of the SAM JONES meetings.

"CAST your bread upon the waters, and it will return unto you after many days"—but it doesn't generally come in the form of such a generous loaf as fortune allotted to Judge LEONARD, of New York, the other day, who received a legacy of $250,000 from a man whom he had befriended many years ago.

"THERE are 84,000 children of school age in the city of New York for whom there is no room in the public schools." New York is a big city, a wealthy city, an enterprising city—in some respects, a wonderful city. But, in taking care of its population, it is perhaps the worst-governed aggregation of houses and *people in the* world.

THERE is every reason why this year's Cumberland Fair should be the best of all—good as all the rest have been. The fine crops will give material for excellent exhibits, and the fine spirits in which the farmers find themselves will attune their hearts to a full participation in this jolly annual reunion. Fruits have been cut off this summer, but Farmers' Hall and the Ladies' Department ought to be unusually full.

OH, good gracious! A good many people are under the impression that ALEX. MCIVER, the blatherskite who is running against BUNN for Congress in the Raleigh district, and Prof. C. D. MCIVER, the able young North Carolinian who conducted the Teachers' Institute here a short time since, are one and the same person. No! no! no! They are horses of entirely different colors. *Our* MCIVER votes the Democratic ticket every time.

THE press has far more in it to commend than to blame—if "we do say it, as shouldn't." It is honest, enterprising, unselfish and patriotic. It is a faithful laborer in the work of the moral elevation of its community, and it is a powerful factor in the development of material prosperity. But the press of to-day is deplorably careless and loose in its use of the mother tongue. The proof-reading on the average newspaper is done in a very slouchy manner, and as for figures—which, above all things, should be accurate—not one column in a thousand of published statistics is correct. *Apropos* of this, last week a telegraph news paragraph went the rounds of the North Carolina papers telling of a "$7,000,000 fire in Sydney, N. C." It should have been "Sydney, Australia," but the "intelligent compositor" was blind, and the "vigilant proof-reader" was asleep. The New York papers, anent the visit of the Comte de Paris to this country, are recalling his family's history, and speak of a former Duke of Orleans, "Egalite," and his vote for the execution of LOUIS *Fourteenth* during the French Revolution!

COL. L. L. POLK, President of the National Farmers' Alliance, in a letter to H. L. LOUCKS, Esq., gives the following wise counsel with regard to the duty of Demcrats in Louisiana: "The Democrats must carry every district possible; they cannot afford to lose one in Louisiana. The men who are fighting Mr. BLANCHARD or who oppose any Democratic candidate for Congress in this State; the men who would cause dissensions in the party ranks to-day, or bring about a split or division, are allies of the Republicans, cooperating with REED'S Congress to oppress and injure the South. Let them be known for what they really are—enemies of white supremacy and civilization." This is no whit better advice to the "Pelican" State than it would be in the land of the "Tar Heels," and we wait to hear Col. POLK'S "clarion voice and silver tongue" impress it upon his fellow-citizens in North Carolina that "the men who would cause dissension in the party ranks to-day, or bring about a split or division, are allies of the Republicans, cooperating with REED'S Congress to oppress and injure the South."

ONE of the most remarkable and fatal catastrophes in all the records of great casualties in this country took place a few days since at the Dupont Powder Works, six miles from Wilmington, Del. An explosion in one of the work-rooms literally blotted out of existence whole buildings, tore walls and flooring into shreds, scattering the ruins broadcast over the country, and killed sixteen of the employes of the works, besides injuring many others. The concussion was terrific, making itself felt in Wilmington, Bordentown, even Chester, Pa., and other towns many miles away. About sixty families were made homeless by the wreck of their houses throughout the village. The Dupont Powder Works are among the most extensive in the world, and have an interesting history. They were established by General HENRI LAURENT DUPONT, who fled from France during the Reign of Terror to escape Jacobin persecution, and have been continued without interruption ever since. They had the exclusive contract for furnishing powder to the government in the war of 1812.

"THE tendencies of the Republican party are such as to alarm every man who places the permanent welfare of his country above temporary party advantage. * * * * The leaders of the Republican party seem to have abandoned the wise, liberal and progressive policy inaugurated by GARFIELD, and happily carried forward by ARTHUR and CLEVELAND. * * * * I shall not follow such leaders or such counsels. As a citizen of the Union, loving its Constitution and history; as a Southern man, believing in fairness and justice to all sections and races; as a friend of the negro, desiring his intellectual, moral and financial improvement as the proper basis of social and political power; and, finally, as a self-respecting man, I shall not be a Republican candidate for any office, but shall vote the entire Democratic ticket, Congressional, State and County." These ringing words—the utterances of a man who evidently measures well the importance of the duties of good citizenship—are extracts from the text of a letter from FRANCIS D. WINSTON to EAVES, declining the Republican nomination for Judge in the 2nd judicial district. LEONIDAS MOORE, W. A. GUTHRIE, FRANCIS D. WINSTON and scores of others, the cream of the intellect and force of the Republican party, are impelled by every consideration of manhood and decency to turn with disgust from the rotten concern. "Come with us, and we will do thee good."

### SINCE OUR LAST ISSUE.

**Latest News from all Parts of the World, Prepared Especially for the Readers of "The Observer."**

Several representatives of the International and Steel Institutes of England have arrived in Pittsburg; they are here to gain practical information, and to ascertain, as far as possible, the material resources of the country, particularly in the South—both above and below ground; our government they consider stable, and they feel that investments here are sound, and at the same time profitable. ——The Louisiana Lottery Company will use the express companies as agents, and for the transmission of moneys, tickets, drawings, &c.; the Attorney General of Louisiana calls attention to this purpose, and is making efforts to prevent its being carried out. —— The steamships *Teutonic* and the *City of New York* are still keeping company in their trips across the Atlantic; both vessels have arrived at New York, making the trip from Queenstown in only a few minutes difference in time. ——Sixteen persons were killed and twenty injured by the explosion at the Dupont powder mills. ——The condition of the King of Holland is unchanged, and it is thought a regency will be established in about two weeks. ——James Atkins, a prominent Republican politician of Georgia, was found dead in his bed at Savannah from heart disease. ——A dispatch from Buenos Ayres says the reports of an impending revolution are without foundation; there is no reason to fear trouble, and the city and the whole country are tranquil. ——The strike of silk ribbon weavers at Peterson, N. J., has been settled; the strike was against a reduction in wages of ten per cent. ——The only son of ex-Gov. Sprague, of Rhode Island, committed suicide at Seattle, Washington, by inhaling chloroform. ——J. S. Bailey, a large lumber dealer in Georgia, was killed by one of his clerks. ——Three large manufacturing establishments will soon be started in the South, one in Alabama and two in Virginia. —— Langston has been nominated by his colored friends for Congress from the fourth Virginia district. ——Rube Burrows, the train robber, was shot and killed in Linden jail. Alabama, while trying to escape. ——The railroad men are holding a general time convention in New York. ——The knitting mills at Oxford have just been completed, and will begin operation at once. ——There are now 2,165 Farmers' Alliances in North Carolina, a gain of 389 since last January. ——Asheville is to have a new town hall to cost $21,000.—— The town of Marion has voted $10,000 for street improvements. ——Near the mouth of Neuse river, on the south side, bears are reported very numerous and troublesome. —— The Asheville *Journal* says that the city has 11,834 inhabitants by the count of the directory agent. ——W. Jennings Demorest is the Peoples' Party candidate for Mayor of New York city. ——The Constitutional Convention of Mississippi voted 72 to 18 against putting prohibition into the Constitution of the State. ——Ex-President Cleveland has accepted the invitation to be present at the Thurman banquet to be given on November 13, under the auspices of the Thurman club, in Cincinnati. Judge Thurman will be 77 years old that day. ——A trade review of Augusta, Ga., for the past year shows that Augusta's cotton mills spun 80,000 bales of cotton during the year, producing $6,000,000 worth of products; received two hundred and odd thousand bales of cotton, manufactured and sold $2,000,000 worth of fertilizers; that the wholesale and retail grocery trade amounted to $30,000,000, and that the total business was $70,000,000. Twenty-six miles of electric railroad have been built and are in operation. ——The Government has forbidden the importation into England of live cattle from Holland. ——September report issued by the Cotton Association states that the first picking of the Egyptian cotton crop is finished. The quality of the cotton is very good. Very little injury was done by worms. The crop is estimated at 230,000 centars. ——The Census Bureau has announced the total population of Indiana as 2,189,030, an increase in ten years of 210,729, or 10.65 per cent.; population of Michigan, 2,089,792, increase 452,855, or 27.66 per cent.; Territory of New Mexico, 144,862, increase 25,297, or 21.16 per cent.; Albuqurque, population 6,058, increase 3,743, while Santa Fe fell off 653, the present population being 5,982; the total population of California, 1,204,002, increase 339,308, or 39.24 per cent. ——Woolford Sanders, a Virginia artist, has been creating a stir at Natchez, Miss., by painting portraits of people he never saw. All he needs is a verbal description. ——The Census Bureau has announced the population of the State of Nebraska, as 1,056,793, an increase of 607,413; or 136.17 per cent.; State of New Jersey, 1,441,-017, an increase of 309,901, or 27.40 per cent. ——The report that has been floating around for some time that the President would call an extra session of Congress to meet about the 10th of November is being corroborated by persons who declare that Senator Aldrich and General McCook, secretary of the Senate, have stated positively that it was their understanding that it had been decided to call the extra session. ——Grand Duke Nicholas, uncle of the Czar, is in a critical condition. The cancerous affection from which he has been suffering for a long time has attacked the brain. ——A straw paper trust, representing eighty-two mills with an output of 325 tons daily, has been formed to control the market west of the Allegheny mountains. The object of the combine is to maintain prices, which, it is claimed, have been ruinously low. ——The revenue of the French Government during September exceeded the estimates of the amount held by the banks by 4,500,000 francs, and showed an increase of 9,100,000 francs over the revenue for the corresponding month of last year. For the nine months the revenue shows a surplus of 44,-000,000 francs. ——Howren, the evangelist, died in Charleston on the 7th inst. ——The engagement of Miss Winnie Davis, daughter of the late Jefferson Davis, and Mr. Alfred Wilkinson, of Syracuse, N. Y., is reported to have been broken. ——The Goldsboro *Argus* learns that the Hon. F. M. Simmons, of New Berne, ex-Congressman from the second (or black) district, is going to Winston to locate and practice law. ——Gen. Johnstone Jones, late Adjutant General of North Carolina, who moved last year to San Diego, Cal., was recently nominitated there as the Democratic candidate for district attorney. ——A San Francisco dispatch reports a terrible explosion of dynamite at a gold mine, by which ten men were blown to atoms. ——The glass manufacturers of Pittsburg have made an advance of not quite five per cent. in their prices. ——Dr. Roberto Salass has been elected President of Nicaragua for a term of four years by an overwhelming majority.

### Bethesda's Pool.

St. Louis Globe-Democrat.]

The American Consul at Jerusalem, Mr. Gillman, sends to the State Department an account of the discovery of the famous Pool of Bethesda. As is well-known, the Birket Israel has in the past been considered as the site of the Bethesda, but the excavations of the Algerine monks under the ruins in the rear of the Crusader Church of St. Anne have gradually transferred opinion in favor of the latter locality. This was strengthened by the discovery of a rock-hewn pool containing water beneath three successive structures. Subsequent excavations revealed the remains of two tiers of five arched porches, the lower tier being in the pool.

The intelligent labors of the monks who are in charge of the property have been further rewarded by the recent discovery of another pool containing a good supply of water to the westward of that first discovered, the spot agreeing with the descriptions of the Bethesda as given by the fathers of the Church and Christian pilgrims and writers as early as the fourth century. The correspondence in number of the five porches to those mentioned in the Gospel of St. John will not escape notice. Steps cut in the rock lead down into the water. An ancient Christian church in ruins surmounts the entire structure. The remains of the upper tier of porches extend above the pool at right angles from the north wall of the crypt beneath the church, in which the apse, at the east end, though dilapidated, is still distinctly defined.

On clearing away the *debris* that choked the fifth porch westward of the apse all these discoveries culminated in revealing the remains of a painting or fresco upon the plaster of the wall in the rear. The fresco represents an angel as if descending into and troubling the waters, which latter are depicted by conventional zigzag and wavy lines of an olive-green, shaded with black, more suggestive of Egyptian hieroglyphics than modern art, and surrounding the figure on every side. The right hand of the angel was shown as uplifted, but this has been carefully destroyed, probably by the Moslems, after their habit in the early days of their power so, also, the face of the angel, which has been battered so as to be completely obliterated.

The glory or *nimbus* above the head, painted an orange yellow, still remains, but little injured. The edge of the pool appears to be indicated by a broad red line, inclosing the painting, and having an occasional rectangular projection into the water, perhaps representing steps or the piers for the porches. On the east of this fifth barreled arch—the wall extending at right angles—are the remains of another figure, also in fresco, much defaced, and supposed to represent the Saviour. Above the head, evidently intentionally mutilated, is a portion of the *nimbus*, and in the lower outer corner of the painting part of a blue robe.

### He Seized His Wig.

St. Louis Globe-Democrat.]

The bloodless and bruiseless fist fight between Congressmen Wilson, of Washington, and Beckwith, of New Jersey, has started a flow of reminiscences of other ludicrous spats on the floor of the House. One of the best stories is told by Colonel Hinton, who was a newspaper correspondent here before the war. Some phase of the slavery question was up in the House. Owen Lovejoy, of Illinois, had been talking, and, as usual, had aggravated the Southerners. Barksdale, of Mississippi, replied. Hot words passed. "This was not the Barksdale of recent service in the House, but General Barksdale, who was killed during the war. As the interchange of the invective grew more and more personal it seemed that an encounter was unavoidable. Roger A. Pryor, then a young Congressman from Virginia, raised the lid of his desk and slipped out a pistol. Several others got ready. Just as the crisis was at hand a giant of a man from Wisconsin, named Potter, suddenly reached over from the Republican side of the House and made a grab for Barksdale. The Mississippian had long hair, which he always wore carefully brushed. To the astonishment of the whole House the luxuriant hair proved to be a wig. It came off, of course. Potter stood there dumbfounded, holding the magnificent cover aloft, and looking first at the hair and then at the bald head beneath. The House held its breath for a moment, and then roar after roar drowned out all feeling of resentment. Pryor raised the lid of his desk, put back his pistol and laughed. Lovejoy sat down convulsed. Potter awkwardly restored the wig, and then both he and Barksdale smiled. There was no more thought of fighting over slavery that day.

### Keep them at Home.

Danville Register.]

We regret to see the custom revived in this city of sending girls around town to peddle tickets of admission to charitable entertainments, and we do not see how parents who have proper regard for their children can permit them to engage in such work. Half-grown girls are thus sent out into the business part of the city to sell tickets for money, and in some cases they are not only offered to sell to men indiscriminately, but they even importune them to buy.

We have alluded to this matter before, and a number of gentlemen in the city declared that their daughters should not again engage in the ticket traffic, but the business still goes on. It is embarrassing and annoying to men to be importuned by the girls of the city to purchase tickets, and the girls subject themselves to affront and indignities. If the parents knew just how young men criticise the girls who importune them to buy, they would, in the future, forbid their daughters to peddle tickets. We do not write for the benefit of the men who are thus annoyed. They can stand it, but our plea is for the girls, that their parents will not allow them to engage in such unbecoming work.

### To Prevent Pneumonia.

As pneumonia is essentially a congestive disease, the best preventive measures are those which avoid the causes of congestion. Pulmonary congestion is favored by too heavy clothing worn in winter weather. A serious error is the supposition that a double set of flannels worn next to the skin affords double protection. The fact is in such a case the inner flannel absorbs all secretion and perspiration, which are then retained by the outer flannel. An almost poultice-like action is thus brought about, softening the skin and rendering it highly susceptible to the slightest exposure. Over-heated, ill-ventilated rooms, and the sudden transition from these to the sharp outer air, are other avoidable predisposing causes of the disease. He who uses a cold sponge bath with brisk rubbing every morning, who wears the lightest clothing consistent with comfortable protection, and keeps his living room well-ventilated and at a mean temperature of 68 degrees, is employing the best preventive treatment of pneumonia known to sanitary science.

### Effective Oratory.

Jonathan H. Pugh was a pale-faced young lawyer. Day after day he sat waiting for clients, but none came. The first term of court convened, and his name had not appeared on the docket. At that time my father was clerk of the circuit court, and one day there came to him a poor, sad woman, who poured into his ear a pitiful tale of woe. A brother-in-law had robbed her of all the property left to her by her dead husband, had oppressed and abused her, and was now seeking to take from her care her only child, a little girl 3 years old. My father became deeply interested in the woman, and promised to help her. He sent for Pugh, and the young lawyer came and took charge of the case.

The poor woman's brother-in-law was rich, and had employed the best of counsel, making every preparation in his power to defeat her in court, and subject her to still greater oppression. He even circulated slanderous stories against her, and succeeded at last in totally destroying her good reputation.

This story kindled the soul of Pugh, and he went to work with a fierce determination to unmask the villain. The day for the trial arrived. The neighborhood was thoroughly aroused, and the court-room was crowded with spectators. The sad and dreamy young lawyer became another man—a bold and dauntless knight fighting for outraged womanhood. He arose to speak, and the silence was painful, while with a master hand he laid before the court and jury the work of the poor woman's oppressor. The perjured witnesses writhed beneath his fiery denunciations, and judge, jurors and spectators bent forward to listen.

As he told of the woman's wrongs tears filled the eyes of all. Then he turned from the weeping woman to the author of her sorrows, and in terrible language he exposed the villainy of the man. Suddenly he faced the victim of his scorn, and, pointing his quivering finger at him, exclaimed: "You have stolen from this poor woman all her property. But more than this: you have robbed her of not only her last dollar but of what is more precious than gold—her good name. And now, with savage hands, you seek to tear from her arms her darling child. In the awful hereafter you should not be allowed even the privilege of herding with the common damned, but in some lower, deeper hell be compelled, singly and alone, to howl out an eternity of woe!"

As Pugh reached this climax it fell like a bolt of thunder upon the ears of the guilty man, and he rushed headlong from the court-room. Pugh's reputation was made. He was flooded with clients, and became at once one of the busiest lawyers in town.

### A Guatemalan Beauty.

Donna Francisca Apaucia vel Vesuccidiayo del Quesaltenango Barrios is possibly the most interesting feminine feature of New York society at this present moment. The immense wealth, uncommon beauty and strange, romantic life of the fair Guatemalanese only add to the abounding charm which she possesses by right of her delightful personality. Very few, who know that Mme. Barrios is the mother of seven handsome children, can realize that she is only 29 years of age, for she has the freshness and slenderness of a girl, and adores dancing above all other forms of recreation. This is so, nevertheless, and when she appears in the thin black gowns of her choice, wearing $300,000 worth of diamonds, her southern skin richly tinted with health and youth, the Guatemalan President's fair relict generally outshines all other women present.

She lives in a palatial home on Fifth Avenue, and divides her time very equally between caring for her small sons and daughters and practicing the classical music of which she is passionately fond. Mme. Barrios has an endless train of admirers, but she remains absolutely indifferent to the most brilliant men in New York. She acknowledges her fondness for society, but avows her intention of remaining faithful to the memory of her soldier husband.

The story of how Gen. Barrios won her hand is well-known, but only her closest friends are aware of his devotion that sealed her love as a wife. It is both interesting and pathetic to hear her tell the story of how she arrayed herself in all her jewels, and, surrounded by the leading women of Guatemala, sat in a box at the theatre, waiting for Barrios to be proclaimed dictator. She never once doubted his success, but when the curtain fell prematurely, disclosing the picture of the martial President rent in twain, she knew the temper of the people too well to question the result. She was hurried out at a side entrance, her life in jeopardy, heard of the assassination of Barrios, and the next morning fled from her native land.

Mme. Barrios has two sisters, unmarried, and both living in New York City. They are several years younger than she is, are independently wealthy, and are both brilliant types of the lovely Central American brunette.

### History of Electric Lighting.

Electric lighting, says M. Fontaine, did not make its appearance until near the close of the year 1873. It was in Paris, in November of that year, in the work-shop of M. Gramme, that the first installation of electric lighting on a really industrial scale took place, by means of a continuous current dynamo and Serrin regulators. It was also in Paris, in 1877, that the Jablochkoff candle was first employed, 16 lights, distributed over a distance of about 1,100 yards, being supplied by a single alternate current Gramme machine. Paris, therefore, had the honor of possessing the first public and private lighting produced by means of electric currents. M. Fontaine thinks that in 1891 or 1892 the electric lighting in Paris will require for its production motive force equal, in round numbers, to 32,000 horse power.

### Great is the State of Texas.

It is not in size only that Texas is a great State, as witness certain statistics, for the twelve months ending August 31, published by the Galveston *News*. The Texas cotton crop was 1,743,320 bales—the biggest crop ever yet known. But that is only a part of the story. Over and above its cotton, Texas sold during the year 24,873,662 lbs. of wool, 15,691,476 lbs. of hides, and hay, grain, lumber, cotton seed, cattle, horses, mules, etc., enough to swell the total value of the State's marketed products up to $129,324,528.

### Johnny's Hands.

Mother—Johnny, you said you had been to Sunday-school.

Johnny (with a far-away look)—Yes'm.

Mother—How does it happen that your hands smell fishy?

Johnny—I brought home the Sunday-school paper, an'—an' the outside page is all about Jonah an' the whale.

☞ Visitor—So your sister is off on a visit, Willie? I suppose you feel lonesome without her? Five-year-old Willie (dubiously)—Ye-es, I feel lonesome, but I'm a good deal more comfortable.

### Prices of Hardwood—Southern Supplies.

An exchange, devoted to the lumber trade, says that during the last twenty years some of the common fancy woods have increased in value per thousand feet as follows: Cherry, $25; oak, $25; basswood, $12; black walnut, $45. Cherry is not called for as extensively as formerly, its principal use being to imitate mahogany. Black walnut, although found in large quantities, is used principally for cabinet organs. Mahogany is coming more in demand, and there never will be any scarcity of this material. It is procured principally in Honduras and San Domingo, where capitalists from Grand Rapids have erected large mills. Many of the piano cases which are represented to be of rosewood are made of cherry, as are also those made with an ebony finish.

The increase in the prices of our native hard and soft woods proceeds from two causes—increased consumption and scarcer supply. The South now contains the largest supply of oak, walnut and cherry, and our mountain bass wood is in large quantity and of the highest quality. The rise in price of these materials when prepared for the market should be a valuable hint to the owners of Southern timber lands when they sell either the fee of such tracts or the stumpage.

### The Jailer of Alleghany County.

A friend of the Salem *Press*, who was lately at Sparta, Alleghany county, says that while there he visited the jail and found it empty. The jailer, after showing him around, introduced his family, among whom were two bright-faced children, a girl and a boy. The boy was named after Gov. Scales, and the father remarked that the Governor was the best friend he ever had, explaining to the surprise of his guest that he had pardoned him from the penitentiary, where he had been sentenced for 20 years for manslaughter, after a service of 5 years and 7 months, and exhibited his highly-prized pardon. The most interesting part of the story is that Mrs. Holloway, the jailor's wife, was also in the penitentiary for one year for alleged assistance in the escape of some prisoners in Swain county. She met Mr. Holloway in the penitentiary, and it was a case of love at first sight, and as soon as released they were married.

He follows the trade of a shoemaker, which he learned in the penitentiary. Since his pardon Mr. Holloway has held the offices of constable and United States marshal, and is now the jailer of Alleghany county, respected by all who know him.

### Strange Prophecy.

Scotland Neck Democrat.]

Mr. W. S. Bailey, of Littleton, showed us a very singular ear of corn a few days ago. He said it grew on the farm of one Mr. James Brown near Jamesville, in Martin county. Mr. Brown is a one-armed Confederate soldier, and found the strange corn by chance in his field.

The corn was gathered in 1882, and consisted of eight ears—one full-sized ear in the centre and seven small ears growing parallel to it and from the same stem, the length of the short ears ranging in gradations from 4 to 1 inches in length. Mr. Brown made the following strange prophecy when he found it: That the crop would be shorter and shorter every year until 1890, when there would be a good crop. Strange to say, the prophecy has been measurably fulfilled. The ear which he designated as the crop calendar for 1889 was the very shortest, being only about one inch, while the first of the short ears was four inches; and it was generally stated throughout this section last year that there was not more than one-fourth of a crop made.

### History of the Potato.

New York Times.]

There never was a time in the history of America, since it was inhabited by white people, when the potato was not cultivated, as it was introduced into Virginia before it was cultivated in Ireland, and it was in cultivation there in 1584, when Sir Walter Raleigh supplied the seed to the farmers on his estate in that island. To call it the Irish potato is therefore a misnomer. It was brought to North America from Chili and Peru by the Spaniards, and was first cultivated in Europe by these people. The Jerusalem artichoke was not in use before the potato, as it was introduced into Europe from South America only in 1782, but it was probably used in Brazil as a substitute for the potato long before that time. No other known tuber was used for the same purpose as the potato before its introduction into Europe, so far as is known, and probably there was none. Oatmeal, peas and barley were used in various ways for food before the potato was known in Europe.

### Niagara Shallow Above the Falls.

It is doubtful if any steamer that runs on the Niagara river, except possibly the small steam yachts, could go over the falls if it tried. The lake survey charts give the soundings on Niagara down to about Fort Day and from there across. The deepest sounding in this line is fifteen feet. Below, however, as may clearly be seen from shore, the river shoals a great deal, and the first breakers, half a mile or so above the Horseshoe, are at a reef which is almost at the water's surface. The chances, therefore, of a large steamer, laden with hundreds of passengers, sailing serenely over the precipice, are very small. It would be desperately unpleasant, however, to be on a boat that drifted down and lodged on the reef, even half a mile from the great tumble.

### A Gigantic English Scheme.

Captain Hamilton Gunn, of London, is at Montreal, in the interest of an English syndicate which proposes to spend a large sum upon the Michigan side of Sault Ste. Marie. This is but a link of the great enterprise, which is backed by £12,000,000. The scheme embraces a railway through Canada, with a terminus in Nova Scotia, and also a connection with New York city. It is proposed to build Atlantic steamers of not less than 10,000 tons, and by utilizing the land and sea route New York will be brought within four and a half days of England. Steamers will also be put on Lakes Huron and Superior.

### The Human Family.

The human family to-day consists of about 1,450,000,000 individuals. In Asia, where man was first planted, there are now about 800,000,000, or an average of 120 to the square mile. In Europe there are 320,-000,000, averaging 100 to the square mile. In Africa there are 210,000,000. In America, North and South, there are 110,000,-000, relatively thinly scattered. In the islands, large and small, probably 10,000,-000. The extremes of the white and black are as 5 to 3, the remaining 700,000,000 being intermediate brown and tawny.

☞ "What's the matter with Jimpson that he has taken to his bed?"

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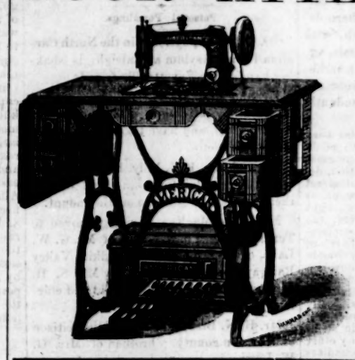

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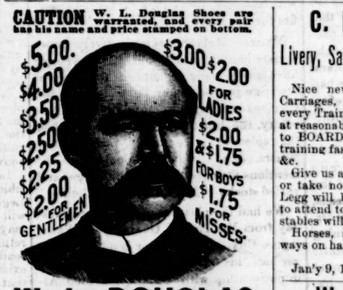


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Administrator of J. C. Blue, dec'd.
Sept. 29, 1890. 4w

### Notice of Administration.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has this day qualified as administrator on the estate of John C. Blue, dec'd. All persons holding claims against the estate will present them on or before the 18th day of September, 1891, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will come forward and make immediate payment. JNO. G. SHAW,
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THURSDAY.....OCTOBER 16, 1890.


*"MARCHING ON."*

Despite the pernicious efforts of certain South-haters to impede Southern development and progress, the South, with its vast resources of lumber, minerals, agriculture, manufacturing, etc., marches steadily on, as the following from the *Manufacturers' Record* will abundantly testify:

"The people who have for five years been constantly predicting that the South could not keep on in its steady march of progress must be amazed by this time to see that, despite their croakings, despite Wall street financial manipulations, despite low prices for iron and all other causes that one might suppose would retard its development, the South moves forward with an ever accelerating rate of growth. Nothing seems to retard it. From the Potomac river to the Rio Grande there is an ever-widening industrial development, a rapid improvement in the financial condition of the farmers, a great activity in the building of railroads, fine hotels, costly dwellings and splendid business structures, and a steady increase in prosperity, in striking contrast with what is seen in many other parts of the country. From the boundless stores of hidden riches in its hills and mountains the South is creating wealth more rapidly than was ever done before in any part of this country, and yet the work has barely commenced. The record of the last nine months shows the organization of upwards of 3,000 new enterprises, including almost every line of industry from the small saw mill to great steel and iron works, and the last quarter of the year bids fair to be the most active ever seen in the South.

The list of new enterprises in the South for the first nine months of 1890, as reported from week to week in the *Manufacturers' Record*, aggregate as follows:

| | 1st 9 mo's of 1890. |
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| Iron furnaces, | 47 |
| Machine shops and foundries, | 108 |
| Agricultural implement factories, | 13 |
| Flour mills, | 137 |
| Cotton mills, | 56 |
| Furniture factories, | 54 |
| Gas works, | 19 |
| Water works, | 94 |
| Carriage and wagon factories, | 29 |
| Electric-light companies, | 172 |
| Mining and quarrying enterprises, | 432 |
| Woodworking factories, including saw and planing mills, sash and door factories, stave factories, &c., | 506 |
| Ice factories, | 136 |
| Canning factories, | 63 |
| Stove foundries, | 4 |
| Brick works, | 178 |
| Miscellaneous iron and steel works, rolling mills, pipe works, &c., | 88 |
| Cotton compresses, | 30 |
| Cotton-seed oil mills, | 40 |
| Miscellaneous enterprises not included in foregoing, | 967 |
| Total | 3,172 |

The *Manufacturers' Record* has done and continues to do the South invaluable service, and its "reviews of Southern progress" should find space in every Southern newspaper. In this fine showing Fayetteville takes her place, and is fast "catching step" to the tune of the "grand march" of Southern progress.

*"THE OLD SHIP OF STATE."*

Plant yourself solidly and firmly in the Democratic column, bare your breast to the enemy, and deal them sledgehammer blows at every turn from now until the coming election. Halt not nor falter in the maintenance and defence of the principles and party of Jefferson and our forefathers. It is the party of the people, by the people and for all the people; it is the party that protects the weak against the strong, the timid against the oppressive; a party of low taxes and tariff reform; a party that respects the rights and liberties of the people, and repudiates any and all encroachments upon their freedom by Federal power and Federal interference at the ballot-box or elsewhere. "Be ye therefore steadfast and unchangeable in the faith," and vote for Grady for Congress, vote for Green for State Senate, vote for Sutton and McGill for the House, vote for Smith for Sheriff, vote for Cain for Clerk of the Court, vote for Hall for Register of Deeds, vote for Troy for Treasurer, vote for Dr. McNeill for Coroner, vote for Downing for Surveyor—in fine, vote the Democratic ticket all the way through from beginning to end. The old ship of Democracy has successfully weathered every gale, and stands out to-day with "all sails set and the breezes fair."

**Praise from Sir Hubert Stanley."**

Hon. A. C. Avery, one of the ablest of the jurists of North Carolina, has written a lengthy but interesting letter to the *North Carolina Presbyterian* on the subject of evangelism, and more particularly the evangelistic work of Mr. W. P. Fife, which is a reply to a recent editorial in the *Central Presbyterian*. We do not consider it seemly in us to venture an opinion as to whether Judge Avery or the *Presbyterian* is right in the estimate of the permanency of conversions by evangelism; but we cannot refrain from giving this remarkable paragraph from the former's letter:

If the deliverance of Synod does not mean to encourage such lay preachers it is a Delphic oracle, susceptible of two conflicting interpretations. It it was not intended to bid such holy men God-speed, the sooner it is so altered as to express that idea the better for the Church. Our brethren of the Methodist and Baptist Churches would gladly commission him, but he believes in the distinctive doctrines of our Church, and could not in conscience apply to them. Mark the prediction: If William P. Fife lives five years he will rival Moody, and that without darkening the doors of a seminary. And yet a good brother, who is loved by all our people, said at Concord Presbytery that Mr. Moody had impaired his usefulness by not applying for ordination. Mr. Fife is opposed if he applies for authority to preach, and he is refused recognition by his own Church if he fails to get that authority. Brethren in the ministry of North Carolina, the spirit of the young workers in God's Vineyard will not submit blindly to such dogmatism in the face of results that they believe are worked out by our Master.

John Leary, who was one of the candidates for Congress before the Warsaw Republican convention, says: "Scurlock and his crowd caught on to Reed's tactics at one flutter and ruled him and his followers out on the first round." John is by no means satisfied with the enemy's work and thinks he nor the straight out Reds of this district are under any obligations to support Scurlock.

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The "Blanche" Kid Glove. We knew at first that they were a first-class Glove, but wanted our customers to endorse our opinion. They have done so, and in consequence we have just received a new lot in all colors and blacks. They are the best gloves sold in the United States for the money ($1.00). They are fully warranted, and if a pair rips or tears we will refund the money. We also have a full line of good Kid Gloves in all colors—no blacks—at 75 cents—decidedly the best glove you can find for the money. Examine them.

FRANK THORNTON.

**Personal Penealings.**

Dr. Pearsall, physician in the North Carolina Insane Asylum at Raleigh, is shaking hands with Fayetteville friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Williams arrived on Saturday afternoon after a pleasant wedding trip, and have taken rooms at the Hotel LaFayette.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Lilly have returned from their bridal tour, and will occupy their handsome residence on Haymount.

Mr. John MacRae having removed to Texas, his place in the office of Mr. G. W. Lake, of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway Company, is filled by Mr. S. H. Strange—a very correct, upright and efficient young business man.

Mr. H. N. Bizzell, a substantial citizen of Johnston county, a brother of Mrs. G. W. Lawrence, having leased his farming lands, has removed to this county, to make his home temporarily with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence, that his children may enjoy the advantages of our excellent graded school.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lawrence have gone on a visit to relatives in Montgomery and Richmond counties, to be absent two or three weeks. We shall expect Mr. Lawrence to have something interesting to tell us of the gold-mining region of Montgomery on his return.

Her friends and the admirers of her artistic work will be glad to know that Miss Lida E. Wright is to be this season with Mrs. E. G. Spencer, in whose attractive establishment the reporter the other day had the pleasure of examining a display of hats and bonnets in exquisite taste.

Mr. M. D. Moore, a progressive merchant of Mt. Airy, was in the city yesterday, having a beautiful lot of apples from his mountain home.

We are requested to state that it is designed to organize a musical association in this city, to be officered and managed by the business men, for which there will be a meeting at Brandt's Hall next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Malcolm Matthews, chief clerk and, in the absence of Mr. Barker, general manager of the excellent Hotel LaFayette, has recently taken a few days' "outing," making a visit to Wilmington. Mr. Matthews is as popular with the traveling public as he deserves to be, and his many friends know how great a favorite he must be to all.

It is a very difficult matter to carry water in a lattice-work cotton basket. A portly friend in our neighborhood, sitting in rumination in the midst of his wares and merchandise the other day, suddenly started up, poured a bucket of water in a cotton basket, and started with it for the street—what for, the Lord only knows; but, as the stream commenced to flood the floor he danced about in a frenzy, and, as a last resort, yelled "fire!" [His friends are still wondering what was the matter with him, and, above all, what he "hollered" fire for.]

Messrs. McIver—comparatively newcomers in our midst, but whose energy has already made its impress—move from the store just below the Park House to the spacious building adjoining Mr. H. R. Novitzky, the latter having recently taken the splendid store lately occupied by Messrs. Jno. Roddick & Co., whose dimensions fittingly exhibit the large and varied stock of "The Fayetteville Clothier."

We had the pleasure of a call on Tuesday from Mr. Thos. I. Gardner, of Washington City. Mr. Gardner is not a stranger here, his father having been for years in parternship with the late lamented Alfred A. McKethan in carriage manufacturing; and, although forty-two years have elapsed since the family removed from this place, Mr. Gardner's memory is very clear as to the old people and localities of Fayetteville. Mr. Gardner takes an interest in our water power and manufacturing advantages, and we should like much to see him reestablish the old name among the business men of this city.

Mr and Mrs. A. J. Hartman have taken up their abode at the Hotel LaFayette, where they will spend the winter.

Mr. W. H. Tomlinson came down last Monday from Mt. Airy, at which point he has been recently making his headquarters, and from that fine grazing country has been shipping splendid beef to the Fayetteville market—and he says that he expects to keep it up.

SOMETHING NEW.

Just in and opened, a beautiful line of Cream and White Henriettas, Serges and Albatross, and a new line of Cream-White Silk Mitts in 12, 16 and 20 button lengths.

FRANK THORNTON.

**The Lynchburg & Durham R. R.—Fayetteville's Opportunity.**

For the Observer.]

MESSRS. EDITORS:—It is a recognized fact that the Lynchburg & Durham R. R. is soon to seek terminal or at least establish connections to the south of the last-named place. Looking at the map, Fayetteville is the natural point to which it should reach. Will Fayetteville be that point? Yes or no, as the case may be—an answer which depends on Fayetteville and surrounding country most immediately interested. Other points and other roads are holding out inducements for divergence of that extension, fully recognizing the great importance of this northern outlet, which will place the town possessing the advantage thus given in shortest connection with the East and the West, or, more properly, the Northeast and the Northwest. It's an opportunity. Neglected, and it's lost. Neglected, and our children will probably say that their sires were as deficient in foresight as *their* sires before them, who preferred plank-roads to railroads. It's an emergency, too, and emergencies ever demand prompt action. Let us have it. It is suggested, Messrs. Editors, that you confer with the principal business and public-spirited citizens of our community, and call a public meeting at an early day to take this important matter into consideration. Certainly as little as we can do, if true to self-interest, is to appoint a committee to consult with the gentlemen to the north of us having the matter in hand.

The extension of the two main trunks intersecting our town is a virtual consummation, and one "most devoutly to be wished." Their construction through Fayetteville was mainly due to the accidency of its location and fortuitous circumstances—very good agencies these as far as they go, but not to be relied on for the building of a railroad *centre*, and that is what we want, and that is what Fayetteville ought to be, and, with a little judicious effort on our part, is bound to be. Yes, the railroad centre of North Carolina. Men of Cumberland is "the game not worth the candle?" Such centreage of important lines assures commercial importance and metropolitan supremacy. These of course largely enhance values in real estate. The road referred to gives illimitable spread and boundless connection to the north, east and west. Build it, and likewise the Albermarle link which will put us in connection with the Western at Salisbury, and Fayetteville becomes *ipso facto* the railroad focus of North Carolina. With the natural advantages which she possesses, it would give her a boom unreached by any other locality. Argument is superfluous; the fact is apparent. Let us then not jeopardize the opportunity by lethargy and inaction. CUMBERLAND.

**An Open Letter on Independentism.**

FAYETTEVILLE, Oct. 11, 1890.

Mr. ——, Harnett County, N. C.:

DEAR SIR:—Your favor of the 9th inst., suggesting a movement on foot for an independent or "people's" candidate for a certain honorable position, was received by last mail. In reply, permit me to say, old friend, that you do not know me as well as I thought you did, by drawing inference that I could under any circumstances be a party to such a scheme.—Whether it contemplates my own candidacy or that of another, whether the nominee of our party were my bitterest personal enemy, and whether the target aimed at were even a seat in the United States Senate with absolute assurance of success, would in combination be totally inadequate inducement for forfeiture of self-respect and party fealty. Time and again have I voted for men between whom and myself there was not the slightest social recognition, and may have to do so again. To plagiarize: my vote is my country's, my hand's my own. In a word, I never yet have scratched or bolted a Democratic nominee, and if I know myself never will, barring the infinitesimal possibility of the head of the ticket being Tom Reed, John Ingalls or the Devil, and apologizing to the last-named for the classification. I trust sincerely that all of my friends, one of whom I know you to be, will henceforth be able to say the same.

That improper, impolitic, injudicious nominations are oftimes made through trickery and chicane goes without question. Too oft it is made possible by the apathy and indifference of voters at the primaries. Be that as it may, the nomination is none the less binding on the patriot and the party when ratified in convention. It is the proud boast of our grand party that it subordinates personal likes and dislikes to liberty. "Principles not men," is its glorious motto, adopted almost at the christening font with old Tom Jefferson as sponsor.

Especially is this obligation of nominee support doubly imperative just now, in view of the recent and unprecedented outrages upon constitutional rights by the base, bad party opposing, and all with an eye to the retention of their ill-gotten power.

Conscious that its hold on the popular heart is relaxing, and that its only chance for success is by tricks and machinations, they are working systematically to divide us upon subordinate side issues and by their old-time *ruse* of "Independentism" under some clap-trap catch-word for banner, as forsooth, "the Prohibition," "the People's Party," &c. Shall we be cajoled into perpetuating their accursed tyranny by such transparent sharp practice? Out upon it as thought!

Again, old friend, a somewhat extended observation of late years has convinced me that men who for selfish gain will meet the enemy half-way, even though under restrictions, are almost ever most ready converts to whole-hog Radicalism.

Let us take a hasty glance at the possible importance of a single vote in the Legislature, both State and Federal, and I will bore you no further. If the first, it may imply a Radical U. S. Senator and a return to the dark days of '68-'9. Are you ready for it? In the Federal Congress now existing, we are confronted by the mischief that has been wrought by one or at most two so-called Representative votes from North Carolina. Observe: Wholesale stealage of democratic seats; dictatorial usurpation by the presiding officer of the House, and disregard of popular and recognized rights and the commonest parliamentary proprieties; the consummation of all villainies in what is generally known as the the "Force Bill," and which will almost inevitably become a law during the ensuing session; the annual squandering of over a hundred millions of the public revenues on the infamous pension list, and the ravishment of many hundreds of millions from the masses for the enrichment of the classes by the most needless and oppressive tax law ever forced upon a free people. These are a few of their most glaring *crimes*, supplemented by others too numerous to mention. All of these *crimes* against free government were made possible by the loss in our State at the last election of two Democratic Congressmen and their substitution by Radical oppressors of their people. That sad change was mainly effected by internal dissensions amongst ourselves, and these fomented by the arch enemy confronting at times and concealed at others.

Here, my friend, you see a practical illustration of the danger of dissension, and the prime duty of patriots to pull together and *to stick to the nominees*, as the only sure preventive of a repetition of such things. Bear it in mind, and believe me,

Yours truly,

W. J. GREEN.

**Manchester Cullings.**

For the Observer.]

We saw a new "resaw" arrive. No sound from the old saw yet.

The base drummers by the half dozen came last week. Fall in dollars.

Public school commenced with a large attendance. Miss Katie Fairley was tried and found wanted to hold the reins of instruction.

A wee *Ell yacht* is now in our midst, arrived two weeks ago. A safe voyage of life to this *Ell yacht* is our wish.

Miss Isabelle Fairley will go to Faison soon to attend school. A girl of lovely temperament. She will be sadly missed.

Mrs. C. H. Russell, the wife of the efficient agent at Jonesboro, has been visiting Mrs. J. F. Clark.

Mrs. M. McD. Williams and Mrs. Hicks spent a few days with "Aunt Mattie." Mr. E. E. Brantly came to see us last Sunday.

"Making hay while the sun shines," is being realized these bright days.

*Arch he* came looking like a *Wightman*.

BON AMI.

**Brower Comes Near Getting A Licking.**

Special to the Raleigh News and Observer.]

REIDSVILLE, N. C., Oct. 11.—At the courthouse at Wentworth to-day an exciting personal conflict occurred between Congressman Brower and Joseph Bradfield, a well-known correspondent and Republican, in which Brower came out second-best, receiving an ugly gash in the face from Mr. Bradfield's fist. The trouble grew out of an article in the Reidsville *Review*, in which serious charges of notorious immorality were preferred against Brower. The latter began his speech by denying the charge, and denouncing Bradfield as the author of the allegations, whereupon Bradfield arose and struck Brower in the face, bringing the blood. The parties were quickly separarated, or else the difficulty might have resulted seriously for Brower. After the latter had finished he and his crowd of negroes dispersed, after which Mr. Bradfield made a short speech in which he clearly exposed Brower's corruption and hypocrisy. Capt. Williams was sick and unable to speak. Brower refused to divide time with any Democrat both here and at Wentworth, and upon the refusal here all the white men left the hall in a body.

**Steve Jacobs Hung.**

By Telegraph to the News and Observer.]

LUMBERTON, N. C., Oct. 10.—The execution of Steve Jacobs here to-day was private, and the crowd was small. He slept soundly last night; ate as usual at breakfast. He was remarkably composed to the last. His fortitude was amazing. He walked upon the gallows with more nerve than his executioner. After prayer and singing by two negro preachers, he was asked if he had anything to say. He told all good-bye, shaking hands with the sheriff and jailor, thanking them for their kindness, and expressing the hope to meet them in heaven. His final and farewell words were only these: "Tell all to avoid whisky and bad company." At 1 o'clock P. M. the trap fell. His neck was broken, and in fifteen minutes he was pronounced dead. No confession was made. His crime was the murder of a woman.

**Weather Crop Bulletin for the Week Ending Saturday, October 11th, 1890.**

The reports of the correspondents of the Weekly Weather Crop Bulletin, issued by the North Carolina Experiment Station and State Weather Service, cooperating with the U. S. Signal Service, show that the temperature and sunshine during the week ending Saturday, October 11th, 1890, have been in excess, and the rainfall deficient; conditions altogether more favorable than those which have existed for several weeks. Light rain occurred on one or two days, the remainder of the week being bright and clear. Almost all the farmers' time has been devoted to cotton picking and gathering corn, which is fully matured. Tobacco has all been cured. It is probable that the damage caused by the wet weather of preceding weeks will not be quite so serious as anticipated. The seeding of wheat and oats is progressing slowly. Light rains will occur during the earlier portion of next week, to be followed by fair, colder weather.

The past season on the whole has been an unusually favorable one, and the crops of cotton, tobacco, corn and rice raised in this State are all fully up to, even above, the average for many years.

H. B. BATTLE, Ph. D., Director.

C. F. VON HERRMANN, Signal Corps, Assistant.


# Castoria

For Infants and Children.

**Castoria promotes Digestion,** and overcomes Flatulency, Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhœa, and Feverishness. Thus the child is rendered healthy and its sleep **natural. Castoria** contains no Morphine or other narcotic property.

"Castoria is so well adapted to children that I recommend it as superior to any prescription known to me." H. A. ARCHER, M. D., 111 South Oxford St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

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"From personal knowledge and observation I can say that Castoria is an excellent medicine for children, acting as a laxative and relieving the pent up bowels and general system very much. Many mothers have told me of its excellent effect upon their children." DR. G. C. OSGOOD, Lowell, Mass.

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 77 Murray Street, N. Y.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

## TRINITY COLLEGE

has unequalled record in training of young men for public and private life.

Attendance this year 50 per cent. greater than last.

One hundred and fifty comes leading to 5 degrees.

Special courses preparatory for professional school or business.

Expenses: $150 to $200 a year. Needy students may give notes for tuition.

Winter term begins Jan'y 1. Send for catalogue to-day.

JOHN F. CROWELL, A. B. (Yale), Dr. Litt., President, Trinity College (P. O.) Randolph Co., N. C. Oct. 16, 1890. 3w

## Commissioner's Sale.

By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Cumberland County, I will on Monday, November 10th, 1890, at 12 o'clock, at the Court House door in Fayetteville, N. C., expose to sale by public auction, that valuable House and Lot on Haymount, known as the John Shaw residence—bounded as in a deed from Sophia H. McLean to John Shaw, registered in Book I, No. 3, Page 250. The above property will be sold subject to the widow's dower.

Terms of sale: One-third cash, remainder at one and two years, with interest from date of confirmation of said sale at 8 per cent. on deferred payments. Purchaser to execute notes for deferred payments and title reserved until same be paid.

CHAS. G. CAIN, Clerk Superior Court, Commissioner.

Oct 1, 1890.

## Commissioner's Sale.

By virtue of the decrees of the Superior Court of Cumberland County, N. C., in proceedings against R. S. Huske and H. R. Huske, guardian of R. S. Huske, I will on Saturday, November 8th, 1890, at 12 o'clock at the Market House in Fayetteville, expose to sale by public auction, for cash, the following Real Estate, viz:

1. Lots 4, 5 and 12, on and near the Wilmington Road, part of "The Cade," afterward "Tew Place."

2. All those lands in Rockfish township about three miles from Fayetteville near the Lumberton Road, known as R. S. Huske's Sand Hill Place.

3. An undivided half-interest in all these lots situate in the north-western portion of Fayetteville, described as in a mortgage to the Bank of Fayetteville, registered in Book "L," No. 4, page 173, viz: One 2-acre lot on Mechanic street, and 5 lots on Orange street, being Nos 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the Jessup property.

For further information apply to C. W. Broadfoot or N. W. Ray.

B. R. HUSKE, Guardian and Commissioner.

Oct 9, 1890. 4t

# WEDDING PRESENTS,

—AT—

## Pemberton's Book and Music House.

Just received a beautiful line of Bohemian Glass-ware, Bisque Figures, Bronzes, Piano and Parlor Lamps, Mantel Sets, Ladies' Plush and Oxidized Silver Dressing Cases, Odor Cases, Work-Boxes, Writing Desks, Lap Tablets.

## Pictures! Pictures!!---A Magnificent Stock.

Pastels, Photographs, Steel Engravings, Artotypes, Oleographs, French Art and Oil Paintings.

## FRAMES! FRAMES!!

Made to order any size and any price. We have the prettiest stock of Moulding ever brought to this market.

## Easels! Easels!!

A fine assortment of Easels in Cherry Bamboo, Ebony, Oak and Brass.

## Pianos! Pianos!! Pianos!!!

We are agents for the sweet toned Ivers & Pond used by the New England Conservatory of Music. Each instrument has the New *Soft Stop* Attachment, which insures the Piano to last a life time.

## Organs! Organs!!

Wilcox & White, warranted for six years—sold on the installment plan. Second-hand Pianos and Organs for rent.

☞ Give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

Fayetteville, Sept. 25, 1890.

Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley R'y Co.

**Round Trip Tickets**

—TO—

## RALEIGH, N. C.,

ON ACCOUNT of the STATE FAIR,

will be on sale October 13th to 17th, inclusive—good to return till October 20th, inclusive, for only $2.30, which includes one admission to Fair Grounds.

G. W. LAKE, Ag't.

W. E. KYLE, G. P. Ag't.

Oct. 2, 1890. 3t

## OYSTERS!

We are to be found, as usual, on the alert to supply our friends, customers and the public; and this time the

**Fat and Juicy Oyster**

is the subject of our advertisement.

Send or leave your order. We will commence on Saturday, October 4th, and receive them several times each week thereafter through the season.

A. S. HUSKE, Ag't.

## Stoves! Stoves! Stoves!

We take pleasure in announcing to the public that we are still in the Stove business. Have just received a car load of

**Cheap Stoves,**

which we are selling at very close figures,

**$8. $9 and $10.**

They are here and must go. Also you will find in our stock the

FAMOUS MAKES OF EXCELSIOR, FARMER GIRL, FARMER BOY, ELMOS, ARGANDS,

and all the leading Stoves of the day.

Parties in need of Stoves will get a bargain by calling on us before purchasing.

**McMILLAN BROS.,**

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

Sept. 25, 1890.

## C. W. HUSKE & CO.,

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.,

—MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN—

**Rough and Dressed Yellow Pine Lumber,**

**Flooring, Ceiling, &c.**

LARGE HEART BILLS FILLED ON SHORT NOTICE.

CAPACITY 30,000 FEET PER DAY.

July 17, 1890. tf

## To Builders and Others.

Finished Flooring, Beaded or Plain Ceiling, Planed Posts, Rails and Palings any length. All the latest patterns of Mouldings furnished on short notice at lowest prices.

ALL KINDS OF BUILDERS HARDWARE.

Estimates given. Orders solicited from abroad. Address WALTER WATSON, Fayetteville, N. C. apl 7-tf

## For Sale.

One hundred and ten (110) acres of land located about two miles from Fayetteville, and known as "Whippoorwill." Orchard and Vineyard on the land. Will sell reasonable and on easy terms or exchange for city property. Apply to E. A. POE, Fayetteville, N. C.

Sept. 18, 1890.

## Fayetteville Milling and Lumber Co.

offers for sale Rough and Dressed Lumber—Flooring, Ceiling, Weather-boarding, &c.

Prices low as the lowest.

Orders filled on short notice.

Oct. 2, 1890. tf

**Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.**

## Sunnyside (Floral) Nursery,

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

The invoice of our annual importation of HYACINTHS and other Dutch Bulbs has arrived and we are expecting the Bulbs every day. Please send in your orders, which will be filled in rotation.

We can fill all orders for CHOICE EVERGREENS, ROSES and Green House Plants. Cut Flowers always on hand at short notice. Pure white stuffed doves for funerals. JAMES M. LAMB.

Oct. 16, 1890. tf

**Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.**

## PARK HOUSE,

OPPOSITE C. F. & Y. V. DEPOT,

Three minutes walk from A. C. L. Depot.

BEST LOCATION IN THE CITY.

Cuisine and Service Unexcelled. Open Fire Places. Reasonable Rates.

Will open on the 11th a Restaurant and Cafe with Oysters on half shell and to order, served from 7 A. M. to 2 A. M.

Special attention to the country trade.

MRS. T. G. HALL, Proprietress.

Oct. 9, 1890. 3m

**Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.**

## NOTICE.

The copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the firm name of M. Faulk & Co. has been dissolved, commencing with October 1st, 1890. All debts due said firm will be paid only to M. Faulk. M. FAULK, JNO. McIVER.

Oct 9, 1890. 3t

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

# READY? YES!

—AND A—

# GOOD "READY," AT THAT!

SEPTEMBER FINDS US WITH A STOCK IN STORE WHICH WE TAKE A PRIDE IN PRESENTING TO THE PEOPLE OF FAYETTEVILLE AND SURROUNDING COUNTRY, AND WHICH WE CAN

# RECOMMEND IN THE HIGHEST TERMS,

—WITHOUT FEAR OF OVERESTIMATING ITS EXCELLENCE.—

## SPREAD THE NEWS

FAR AND WIDE, PRINTERS' INK; WE WILL

## BACK UP ALL YOU SAY!

THOSE WHO ARE TIMID AND DOUBTFUL CAN COME AND SEE, AND WE WILL

## CONVINCE ALL

THAT WE HAVE NOT BEEN IDLE DURING THE PAST FEW MONTHS. THE RESULT OF OUR LABORS IS

**Piled-up Shelving and Counters.**

PRICES HARDLY NEED MENTIONING—PARTICULARLY TO THOSE WHO KNOW US, FOR IT IS WELL UNDERSTOOD THAT FOR

## EVERY DOLLAR

SPENT IN

## THE C. O. D. CLOTHING STORE

THE BUYER GETS

**One Hundred Cents' Worth,**

—AND A LITTLE MORE.

WE MARK OUR GOODS PLAINLY; ONE PRICE ONLY; A CHILD CAN BUY AS WELL AS A MAN.

☞ COME AND SEE US.

**GEO. ROSENTHAL.**

Sept. 18, 1890—tf

## FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE AGENCY.

—OVER—

**$200,000,000 Capital.**

J. A. PEMBERTON

Represents over twenty of the largest FIRE, LIFE AND ACCIDENT INSURANCE COMPANIES of the country, and is prepared to write with promptness all kinds of Insurance, Saw Mills, Cotton Gins, Oil Mills, Country Stores and Dwellings, &c., &c.

His terms will be as low as any safe Companies will write.

His personal attention given to the prompt adjustment of all losses. Call and see him.

☞ Insures against Lightning, Storms and Cyclones. Represents the Fidelity and Casualty Company of N. Y. Gives Guarantee Bonds for men holding positions of trust.

J. A. PEMBERTON, Gen. Ins. Agent

Sept. 11, 1890—3m

## A. G. BRADY,

**Cotton Buyer, Commission Merchant and Dealer in Real Estate.**

Buys Directly from the Farmers and will Pay the Highest Market Prices. Loans Negotiated and Investments Made on Reasonable Terms. Bonds and Stock Bought and Sold.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

Sept. 11, 1890—3m

## McDUFFIE'S CHILL CURE!

**HAVE YOU TRIED IT?**

THIS IS NO HUMBUG—IT IS A POSITIVE CURE FOR CHILLS AND FEVER. A GUARANTEE TO CURE OR MONEY REFUNDED GOES WITH EACH BOTTLE.

**PRICE 50 cts.**

**W. C. McDUFFIE, Jr.,**

**DRUGGIST.**

Aug. 21, 1890.

**Capacity 1,600 Barrels Per Day.**

## FLOUR! FLOUR!!

AT WHOLESALE ONLY.

500 Barrels just received from our elegant mills at Carlinville, Ill.

We have opened a branch house in your city for the purpose of supplying flour on demand. We will guarantee our goods to any on the market. Prices unsurpassed. Call and see or write our representatives, Messrs. J. UNDERWOOD & BRO., Williams Building, Fayetteville, N. C.

YAEGER FLOUR MILL CO.

July 24, 1890.

## Sale for Taxes.

On MONDAY, the 3rd day of NOVEMBER, 1890, I will sell at the Market House in Fayetteville, N. C., the following property to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy Taxes due "Fayetteville."

B. R. TAYLOR, Collector.

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| W. J. Atkins, residence, '88, 2.00, '89, 6.22, | $ 8.22 |
| J K Barge, Chatham st., 87 50c, 88 $3, 89 $3, | 6.50 |
| Arch'd DeKeiser, vac Ramsay st, 88, | 3.00 |
| C K Hall, res Broad sreet, 88 6.03, 89 6.00, | 12.03 |
| B R Huske for R S Huske, office Bow st, 86 12.90, 87 35.05, 88 23.00, 89 28.30, | 99.25 |
| Jno S Maultsby, res Bee st, bal, 88, | 3.50 |
| Rebecca Mazinga, res Campbellton, 87 1.50, 88 1.50, | 3.00 |
| J C Stout, imp'd Winslow st, 86 5 20, 87 2.50, 88 1 50, | 9.20 |

On and after November 4th, deeds will be furnished parties who purchased property in 1889.

Oct 2, 1890.

THE MOST

## ELEGANT AND COMPLETE

—LINE OF—

## Millinery and Notions.

which I have ever had in store I offer to my patrons this season. In STYLE, QUALITY and BEAUTY my selections cannot be surpassed, of which I ask an examination, confident that my goods cannot fail to please.

Mrs. Linebery—so well-known to the ladies of Fayetteville and all this section for her faultless taste and skill in all matters of feminine adornment—is with me this season, and extends to all her friends a cordial invitation to call and see us.

MRS. JNO. SHAW.

Oct. 2, 1890—tf ]

**J. C. STEVENSON & TAYLOR,**

WILMINGTON, N. C.,

Wholesale Dealers in Fancy and Staple Groceries. Correspondence solicited. Samples on application. march 20. 1y

**WOODY & CURRIE.**

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Commission Merchants. Groceries, Provisions and Farm Supplies at Bottom Prices. march 20. tf

**JOHN J. HEDRICK,**

WILMINGTON, N. C.

—WHOLESALE AND RETAIL—

Dealer in Fancy and Staple Dry Goods and Gents' Furnishing Goods. march 20—1y

## VALUABLE PROPERTY

FOR SALE AT AUCTION.

At the Market House in the Town of Fayetteville, N. C., on Wednesday, the 29th day of October, 1890, at 12 o'clock, I will offer for sale at public auction, for cash, the two valuable Stores on Person street now occupied by Green Ingram, Esq., and Mr. J. Sam. Maultsby.

CHAS. GLOVER, Auctioneer. JNO. H. ROBINSON, Agent.

Oct. 9, 1890. 3t

**WORTH & WORTH,**

WILMINGTON, N. C.,

**Importers of Genuine Cuba Molasses.**

Wholesale Dealers in Groceries, Provisions, Salt, Lime, Cement and Farm Supplies.

Offer at all times a complete stock of Groceries, Provisions and Staple Supplies of every description, of the Best Quality and at the Lowest Prices. All goods shipped and fully guaranteed as to quality and price. March 13, 1890—tf

**WM. E. SPRINGER & CO.,**

**Importers and Jobbers.**

Our Hardware Department comprises an immense stock of General Hardware, including Guns and Cutlery of our own importation. Also a full line of

**Patent Bottom Tinware.**

Our Crockery Department comprises a large assortment of Glassware, Lamps, &c. Also the best make of English Earthenware, both plain white and decorated goods of our own direct importation. Merchants cannot do better anywhere in this country than by buying of us, as we defy competition and guarantee prices and goods. Therefore we ask for your patronage.

WM. E. SPRINGER & CO., Purcell Building, Wilmington, N. C. March 13, 1890. 1y

## NOTICE.

The celebrated Mohawk Stallion, Jess, can now be found at Geo. A. Burns Livery Stables. For further information call on or address W. J. McDONALD, Fayetteville, N. C.

Sep. 4, 1890. tf

## Tax Notice.

The Tax Books for the year 1890 are now in my hands for collection. All persons are notified to come forward and make immediate settlement. I am determined to collect them without delay, without regard to persons.

J. B. SMITH, Sheriff Cumberland county.

Sept. 4, 1890.—tf]

## Toilet Soaps.

A Large Lot Just Received.

COLGATE'S CASHMERE BOUQUET.
BAZIN & SARGENT'S VIOLET AND ROSE GERANIUM.
"4711" GLYCERINE.
PEAR'S GLYCERINE.
VIOLA SKIN SOAP ALWAYS IN STOCK.

**A. J. COOK & CO.,**

DRUGGISTS,

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

Aug. 28, 1890.

## Executor's Notice.

Having qualified according to law as executor of John McAllister, deceased, late of Cumberland County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 2nd day of October, 1891, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will make immediate payment.

JOSHUA COUNCIL, Ex'r.

N. A. SINCLAIR, Attorney. This 2nd day of Oct., 1890. 6w

# OBSERVER.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

Published Every Thursday at 19 Green Street (Observer Building.)

THURSDAY.....OCTOBER 16, 1890.


## TOWN AND COUNTY.

**Asking Indulgence.**

The pressure of new advertising on our columns for the past few weeks, and especially this week, has made us impose on our patrons in the matter of the requisite amount of reading matter. We will pay them back shortly.

**Bound Over.**

The four men charged with burning the trestle and placing obstructions upon the track of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley R. R. had a preliminary trial last week, consuming two or three days; and the evidence against them was of so grave a nature that they were bound over to the next term of the Superior Court.

**A Novel Entertainment.**

The "Cobweb Party" at Mrs. A. J. Smith's on Monday evening last was very heartily enjoyed by the participants. It was not only an unique and novel but a beautiful entertainment, enlivened by lots of *fun*. *Best* of all, the "Elliott Society" of *young* people, which does much good in an unostentatious way, considerably replenished its exchequer.

**A Nut for "Independents" to Crack.**

We publish to-day a letter from Hon. W. J. Green, addressed to a prominent citizen of this section, whose name we omit from obvious considerations of propriety, but to whom we have mailed a copy of the letter. We doubt not that it will be read with pleasure by good Democrats, and, we should think, with a tingling of shame by certain *soi disant* Democrats whose party fealty is hardly skin-deep.

**The Athenæum Club.**

The regular meeting of the Athenæum Club takes place this evening, Dr. W. C. McDuffie President. The character of Napoleon Bonaparte will be discussed in debate—Messrs. A. J. Cook and Arch. McDuffie on the affirmative, and Messrs. LaFar and Rubinstein on the negative. Messrs. D. Rose and McKee Barclay are the essayists for the evening. The attendance is improving with the lengthening of the nights, and the club is growing in popularity and strength of members.

**A Nuisance.**

Complaints, thick and fast, continue to reach this office over cows and other stock running at large in town. If there is another city of equal size in the country that tolerates such a nuisance, speak out, or forever hereafter hold your peace. We think the OBSERVER can reasonably assure our friends that this matter will receive due consideration at the hands of the proper authorities at the earliest possible moment, and the best remedy applied for the existing evil. Be ye therefore patient.

**Grand Gift Carnival.**

Tennyson & Dawson's Company perform here next week, and of the entertainment the Raleigh *News and Observer*—one of the most prominent papers in the State—speaks in the following commendatory terms:

We do not remember to have seen a better show of its kind than the Tennyson & Dawson Combination gift show which appeared last night, and which will appear every night this week. Everything is chic and chipper. The sleight-of hand tricks are astonishingly clever. Many saw but few could explain the mysterious wonders that were wrought by Prof. Morphet.

**Religious Notes.**

The protracted meeting which has been going on in the Hay Street Methodist Church for the past ten or twelve nights has been attended by good congregations, who have had the pleasure of hearing several excellent, sensible sermons from Rev. J. W. Jones. A gratifying feature of the meetings has been the decorous and serious character of the gatherings and the grave interest manifested by all. There has been little or none of the anoyance not uncommon at such meetings of levity and inattention within the church and loafing about the doors and portico outside. Eight or ten conversions have resulted from the meetings.

**Lily Bell.**

Bear in mind the beautiful Operetta, "Lily Bell," tomorrow night. It is highly spoken of as a most meritorious piece of classic music, and is to be rendered in aid of the armory fund of the Fayetteville Independent Light Infantry. Let's give it a packed house.

We gave a few lines in sketch of this entertainment last week, and the *dramatis personæ* for to-morrow evening's rendition will be as follows: Titania, the Fairy Queen, Miss Laura Banks; Lily Bell, her Favorite, Miss Emmie Belle Williams; Thistledown, a Rival, Miss Annie Covington; Heart's Ease, a Fairy in Titania's Train, Miss Eva Allen; Endora, the Naiad Queen, Miss Julia Barclay. Chorus of Fairies, etc.

**Attention, Please.**

Your attention is directed this week especially to the following new advertisements:

ROSE & LEAK—Notice.
OBSERVER OFFICE—Lost.
N. INGRAM—Fresh Meats.
NEWTON H. SMITH—Coal.
BOX R.—Furnished Rooms.
CHAS. A. GOODWIN—Notice.
CHAS. HAIGH'S PROCLAMATION.
CHAS. G. CAIN—North Carolina.
JNO. F. CROWELL—Trinity College.
G. T. RACKLEY.—Executor's Notice.
GEO. M. ROSE.—Administrator's Notice.
F. W. THORNTON—Cotton to the Front.
TENNYSON & DAWSON.—Opera House.
MRS. E. G. SPENCER—Announcement.
S. SHEETZ & SONS—Plush Seated Chairs.
JAMES M. LAMB—Sunnyside (Floral) Nursery.
H. I. MCDUFFIE—Fire and Cyclone Insurance.
DR. G. C. OSGOOD—Castoria for Infants and Children.
D. A. MCMILLAN, Ag't—"All's Well That Ends Well."
JOHN LAMBETH—Livery, Sales, Feed and Exchange Stables.
G. P. MCNEILL—Report of the Condition of the People's National Bank.
J. C. HAIGH, JR.—Statement of the Condition of the Bank of Fayetteville.

## SENATOR VANCE.

**A Very Able Speech—Convincing Exposition of the Tariff—Scathing Arraignment of the Republican Party.**

At 11 o'clock A. M. on Monday last the Democratic Brass Band of Fayetteville marched from its quarters on Gillespie street to the Hotel LaFayette, whence, with a body of mounted men in line, it escorted Senator Vance to the Park House, in front of which arrangements had been made for the speaking.

Briefly but appropriately introduced by Col. Duncan Shaw, Senator Vance expressed the pleasure which it afforded him to meet and address an assemblage of the people of Cumberland county, with his regret that want of rest from continuous and arduous labors placed him in no fit trim to do justice to either the occasion or to the gravity of the issues presented before the two great parties of the country.

In the discussion of the fallacies of protection and the iniquities of the McKinley tariff bill, Senator Vance pursued the line of argument and the trend of thought that have made his speeches in Congress so impressive and so telling. Nothing could be more convincing than his exposure of the inconsistencies of protection, which, so far as the great masses are concerned, only "keeps the word of promise to the ear," and, in its specious pretense of benefiting the farmer, is a delusion and a snare.

The methods which the minority party have adopted, and the measures which they have ruthlessly enforced, to continue in control of every department of the government were graphically portrayed:—the unblushing effrontery with which they made a matter of bargain and sale of legislation in the interest of overweening monopolies in return for immense sums of money to be used in elections; the *brutum fulmen* with which they unseated Democrats to Radicalize the House of Representatives; the indecent haste with which they dragged new States into the Union, having twisted and doctored their qualifications for voters so as to render them Republican at any cost; the malevolence of feeling which had rushed the force bill through a Radical House, etc., etc.

The speaker was especially impressive when he bade his hearers remember the disastrous consequences of a failure on the part of North Carolina Democrats to do their duty: The 5th and mountain Congressional districts, with clear Democratic majorities, had permitted the election of Brower and Ewarts; these men gave the Republicans a majority of 3 in the House of Representatives—and by this majority were wrought all the evils for which the last Congress is responsible: Reed's autocratic rules, the denial of their rights to legally-elected Democrats, and the passage of the McKinley tariff and Lodge election bills.

That portion of Senator Vance's speech which was particularly addressed to the Farmers' Alliance (and we think that most of the prominent members throughout the county were present) was manly and candid. He cleared himself of any suspicion of bad faith toward that organization or any lack of devotion to its interests, and certainly he made it plain that the aims of the Alliance and of the Democracy are identical, which neither can hope to accomplish without the aid of the other.

We have seen much larger crowds cluster delightedly about Vance in Fayetteville; but, considering the pressure which the forward cotton crop is exerting upon the planters, it was a very good gathering—larger than any other man in North Carolina would have drawn at this time. The ladies mustered in strong and attractive force, filling the windows and upper and lower balconies of the Park House. We were glad to see them, and we think that Zebulon was gratified also.

**Hon. B. F. Grady's Appointments for Moore and Cumberland.**

Hon. B. F. Grady, Democratic candidate for Congress in this district, will address the people of Moore county on the political issues of the day as follows:

Carthage, Thursday, October 16.
Carter's Mills, Friday, October 17.

Mr. Grady will speak in Cumberland as follows:

Rhodes' Mills, Saturday, October 18.
Newton's (71st township), October 20.
Geddie's Gin (Flea Hill), October 21.
Cedar Creek, Wednesday, October 22.
Bullard's Mill (Beaver Dam), Oct 23.

Mr. Grady is making a fine impression wherever he has been, and those who wish to hear a lucid statement of the issues of the present campaign should hear this great standard-bearer of the Democracy of the Third District; hear him, and in November vote for him and every Democrat on the ticket down to constable.

**Attractions for the Fair.**

A sham battle between the Fayetteville Independent Light Infantry and the Lumber Bridge Light Infantry is being discussed, and will no doubt constitute one of the attractive features of the Cumberland Fair this year. These are both crack Companies, and for this occasion will muster about one hundred men each. Other attractions will continue to be added. Let's hear what you are going to suggest.

The races also will be extraordinarily fine this year, and will constitute another attractive feature. The race-track is receiving every attention, and some fine blooded stock will be here.

**Cotton.**

The fair, warm weather for the past week or ten days has given a boom to the cotton market. The demand for the fleecy staple continues unabated, despite the heavy crop in sight, while high prices rule all the while, 9¼ cents being the ruling price for good middling. Up to date there have been received at this place 6,110 bales against 1,600 last year. The crop, as a general rule, is yielding well to the acre, and the quality of the staple is fine.

**Rose Chapel.**

The material is being gotten together for the erection of Rose Chapel, in the southern suburbs of the city—named to honor the memory of the late lamented Beverly Rose.

**Five Bright and Happy Years.**

On Tuesday night the beautiful rooms of the residence of Dr. Hunter, corner of Russell and Dick streets, were ablaze with the brilliant light of pendent chandeliers, while the hum of pleasant converse and the music of happy laughter animated the throngs of friends who had hastened with hearty congratulations to do honor to the 5th anniversary of the marriage of Dr. and Mrs. T. M. Hunter—their wooden wedding.

Dr. Hunter and his charming wife—standing beneath a mammoth marriage bell (its convex surface of artistically interwoven wood shavings, with the inner lining of silk in fanciful patterns and varied colors), and assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Clarence D. Sedberry—received their guests in the parlor left of the entrance; and across the hall—decorated with evergreen and potted plants—one passed into the parlor embellished by lavish offerings of affection and esteem: quaint and tasteful designs in brackets, screens, wall-racks, tubs, buckets and scrubbing-brooms (instruments of oppression to the dismayed Doctor and others of his sex when the periodical "cleaning day" rolls around) pictures, a wagon in miniature, laden with fuel (with saw and axe ready for action at the first sharp touch of frost) book-cases, (whose shelves offer stores of delight unending to the family group beneath the glowing lamp), the churn (gracefully bending over which the fair young matron may vie in skill with Jeanie Deans, who paid grateful tribute to McCallummore in a rich, creamy Dunlop cheese), even kindling wood in bunches (that the hearthstone may all the brighter glow when Darby and Joan, with silvered hair, sit in the chimney nook in the full fruition of wedded love)—and a wealth of other things, rare, useful and ornamental.

The elegant supper—the central table a "thing of beauty," around which the *bons vivants* sighed at length in repletion, with the longing that such exquisite pleasure might prove a "joy forever"—was served at cosy tables in leisurely comfort, and the guests were waited on by the loveliest of their sex, that alone making it "fit feast for the gods." During the evening we enjoyed beautiful vocal music by Mrs. Bidgood, Miss Belle Barker and Mr. A. J. Pemberton (in duet), Miss Jennie Rose, Miss Emmie Belle Williams and Miss Covington.

It would be impossible for the reporter to "Jenkinsize" or too partially describe an evening so replete with the charms of hospitality and lovely women in elegant toilettes; and the guests, in the flush of their enjoyment, infused into their "good nights" to host and hostess very hearty wishes that each recurring anniversary may crown with added happiness their united lives.


RAIL ROAD SHOES.

We have never before experienced such a demand for Black Silks as we have this season. We bought at first very large lines, but they went in a hurry, and the second lot followed suit. We now show the third lot of this season, embracing full lines of the 95c. and $1.00 silks so very popular. We have just received also new lines in Colored Silks, all colors. An examination is solicited.

FRANK THORNTON.


**"The Laborer is Worthy of his Hire."**

The congregation of the 1st Baptist church, at a meeting last Sunday, showed their appreciation of fidelity, ability and consecration of service to the Master by increasing the salary of their pastor, Rev. W. B. Oliver, from $900 to $1,200 per annum. That pulpit has rarely if ever been filled by one whose labors have been more richly crowned with blessed results.


AS WE ANNOUNCED

some time ago, we are sole agents for the sale of Thompson's Glove-Fitting Corset. We don't show you a few remnants to select from, but a full line in all the different styles. They are the best corsets made in the world, and we receive everything new as it is patented and made by the manufacturers. See them when you want the best corset made.

FRANK THORNTON.


**Improvements.**

Mr. Geo. H. Haigh has moved into his new residence—a tasteful, commodious and well-arranged building, situated in a pleasant neighborhood, on Haymount, overlooking the "boulevard."


COTTON TO THE FRONT.

All eminent Physicians and Scientists, the world over, are now strongly advocating and urging the use of
ALL-COTTON GOODS
for underware of every description. Of course, as they make a study of such things, they know more about them than we do. They say that All-Cotton is healthier and more comfortable, both in
WINTER AND SUMMER,
than the woolen goods we were used to wear. In this connection we would state that we have secured
THE AGENCY
of the All-Cotton Goods manufactured at
TARBORO, N. C.
The products of this Mill are of an unusually good quality, carefully and well made, and embrace full lines of
GIRLS' AND BOYS' HOSE.
They are the very best, and if you want a good quality these will fill the bill. Another prominent feature in the makes of this Mill is
ALL-COTTON UNDERWEAR
of every description; and, basing my judgment on Physicians' advice, I would recommend their use to my customers. They are as well-made goods as can be found anywhere, and far superior to any Northern make.
WE ARE ACCOMMODATING,
however, and if you prefer part wool or all-wool to all-cotton we can furnish you with the largest lines in the city to select from.
LOOK AT OUR NORTH CAROLINA GOODS,
For sale only by
FRANK THORNTON,
Oct 16-3t. Sole Agent.


STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

## BANK OF FAYETTEVILLE,

*At Fayetteville, N. C., in the County of Cumberland, at the close of business on the 2nd day of October*, 1890.

**RESOURCES:**

| | |
|---|---|
| Loans on Real Estate, | $ 1,200 00 |
| All other loans and discounts, | 426,262 25 |
| Overdrafts, | 800 00 |
| Stocks, bonds and mortgages, | 2,277 26 |
| Due from Banks, | 33,177 71 |
| Banking House, | 6,000 00 |
| Other real estate, | 1,896 60 |
| Furniture and fixtures, | 2,000 00 |
| Current expenses, | 1,861 22 |
| Taxes paid, | 872 0o |
| Cash items, | 4,695 03 |
| Silver Coin, | 802 96 |
| National Bank notes, | 3,000 00 |
| United States Notes, | 19,170 00 |
| Total, | $504,015 03 |

**LIABILITIES:**

| | |
|---|---|
| Capital Stock paid in, | $ 300,000 00 |
| Surplus Fund, | 2,000 00 |
| Undivided profits, | 8,200 66 |
| Deposits subject to check, | 141,382 70 |
| Due to Banks, | 5,056 52 |
| Notes and bills rediscounted, | 43,396 15 |
| Demand certificates of deposit, | 3,979 00 |
| Total, | $504,015 03 |

I, John C. Haigh, Jr., Cashier of The Bank of Fayetteville, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
JOHN C. HAIGH, JR., Cashier.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, } COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND. }
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 14th day of October, 1890. GEO. G. MYROVER, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:
J. D. WILLIAMS, H. W. LILLY, E. J. LILLY, JR., } Directors.
Oct. 16, 1890. 1t

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

## The People's National Bank,

AT FAYETTEVILLE,

*In the State of North Carolina at the close of business Oct.* 2, 1890.

**RESOURCES.**

| | |
|---|---|
| Loans and discounts, | $237,425 39 |
| Overdrafts secured and unsecured, | 5,912 00 |
| U. S. Bonds to secure circulation, | 32,000 00 |
| Stocks, securities, claims, etc., | 136 00 |
| Due from approved reserve agents, | 5,725 60 |
| Due from other National Banks, | 14,482 80 |
| Due from State Banks and bankers, | 1,364 40 |
| Banking-house, furniture and fixtures, | 6,896 79 |
| Current expenses and taxes paid, | 759 30 |
| Premiums on U. S. bonds, | 960 00 |
| Checks and other cash items, | 1,988 02 |
| Bills of other banks, | 229 00 |
| Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents, | 150 14 |
| Specie, | 951 50 |
| Legal tender notes, | 8,000 00 |
| Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation), | 1,160 00 |
| Total, | $318,130 94 |

**LIABILITIES:**

| | |
|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in, | 125,000 00 |
| Surplus fund, | 32,000 00 |
| Undivided profits, | 1,490 26 |
| National Bank notes outstanding, | 28,800 00 |
| Individual deposits subject to check, | 77,905 05 |
| Cashier's checks outstanding, | 275 00 |
| Due to State Banks and bankers, | 1,767 10 |
| Notes and bills re-discounted, | 50,893 53 |
| Total, | $318,130 94 |

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, } COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND, } S. S.

I, G. P. McNeill, Cashier of the above-named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
G. P. MCNEILL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of October, 1890.
JNO. B. BROADFOOT, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:
E. F. MOORE, GEO. BRANDT, F. W. THORNTON, } Directors.
Oct. 16, 1890. 1t


NOTICE!

Since adopting the cash system, in some instances, *as a mere matter of courtesy* to the few who asked it, we have made small memorandums of articles purchased, with the understanding that the cash would be promptly sent to us.

As this has given us much trouble, and has been abused by some, and has caused others to think we still did a credit business, we feel obliged to decline making any memorandums of articles PURCHASED after this date. We wish it understood that our business is strictly

C. O. D.

GOODS SOLD ONLY FOR CASH,
ONE PRICE TO ALL.

Respectfully,
ROSE & LEAK.
Oct. 16, 1890.


## Executor's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has this day qualified as executor to the last will and testament of William T. Rackley, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate will present them on or before the 15th day of October, 1891, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the estate will please make immediate payment.

Z. B. NEWTON, JNO. G. SHAW, Attorneys.
GEORGE T. RACKLEY, Executor.
Oct 16-6t.

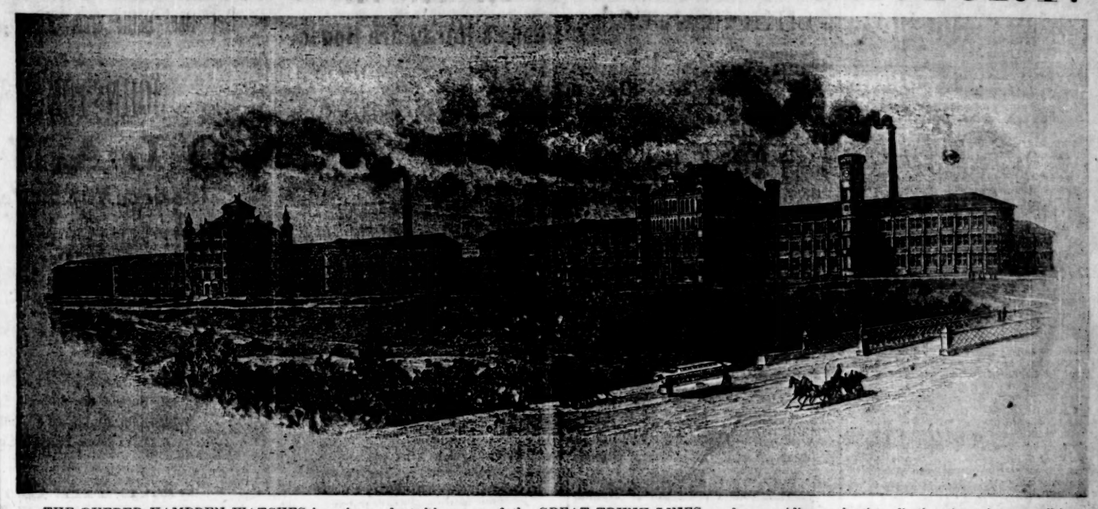

## Fresh Meats.

The public will take notice—and act accordingly—that I have opened up a MEAT STALL in the south west corner of the Market House, where I am prepared to serve my old customers, and the new ones as well, with Fresh Meats of all kinds, Fish, Game, &c., all the year round.

Another car load of Fat Mountain Beef to arrive Wednesday or Thursday morning.

N. INGRAM.
Oct. 16, 1890. 1m

# DUEBER-HAMPDEN WATCH FACTORY.



THE DUEBER-HAMPDEN WATCHES have been adopted by many of the GREAT TRUNK LINES, and are rapidly supplanting all other time-pieces on all important lines of Railway travel, and from whose Conductors, Engineers and Managers we have the most unqualified certificates as to the accuracy of the time-keeping qualities. By permission we refer to Mr. JOSEPH H. MONAGHAN, of the C. F. & Y. V. R. R., who has carried a John C. Dueber for more than sixty days, during which time it has shown no variation. We have just concluded arrangements that will enable us to sell all makes of watches at reduced prices.

MR. BERNHARD F. GROHMAN, late of Hartford, Conn., in charge of our Repair Department, makes a specialty of fine watch repairing.

WARREN PRIOR & SON.

## Chas. Haigh's Proclamation.

In stock and for sale Builders' Material, Hardware, Iron, Steel and Nails at
CHARLES HAIGH'S.

Buggy Material and Cart and Wagon Material at
CHARLES HAIGH'S.

Rims, Hubs, Spokes, Wheels, &c., at
CHARLES HAIGH'S.

Axles for Carts, Wagons, Grain Cradles, Scythes Snaths, &c., at
CHARLES HAIGH'S.

In the Grocery Line you will always find the very best Flour, Sugar, Bacon, Lard, Coffee, Soap and Snuff at
CHARLES HAIGH'S.

Tobacco of all grades, Cigars, &c., at
CHARLES HAIGH'S.

Piedmont Wagons, North Carolina make, at
CHARLES HAIGH'S.

(Which I offer at very low figures for cash or will sell to good parties on time). Cart Wheels and made by the Piedmont Wagon Company always in stock, and will be sold as cheap as any genuine article can be sold, at
CHARLES HAIGH'S.

Fine Razors, Cutlery and Hardware generally at
CHARLES HAIGH'S.

Shot Guns, Pistols, Ammunition, &c., at
CHARLES HAIGH'S.

Leather Belting, &c., &c., at
CHARLES HAIGH'S.
Oct. 16, 1890. tf

## LIVERY, SALES, FEED

—AND—

EXCHANGE STABLES,

The public will take notice that my

LIVERY STABLES

are now supplied with first-class

Teams and Stylish Buggies,

and I am better prepared than ever to serve you. Fine stock always on hand and for sale. Mr. ALEX. BOWLES, a reliable hostler, is with me, and customers may rest assured that their stock will be carefully looked after while in my stables.

Respectfully,
JOHN LAMBETH.
Oct. 16, 1890. tf

## Coal! Coal! Coal!

Orders for Coal left at Tomlinson's Stall, at the Market House, will have my prompt attention. A box will be found there in which written orders can be left. My stock of Bituminous Coal and *all* sizes of Anthracite Coal will be kept full all winter, and my prices are guaranteed to be at the bottom. Satisfaction guaranteed as to quality and weight.
NEWTON H. SMITH.
Oct. 16, 1890—tf


## NOTICE.

All persons are hereby warned not to buy or receive an acceptance dated July 15, 1890, and due at 90 days, payable to the undersigned, and drawn by D. McD. Grady, attorney for estate of Mrs. Lucy McDaniel, the same having been lost or mislaid, and full payment and satisfaction being made this October 9, 1890.
CHAS. A. GOODWIN.
Oct. 16, 1890—1tpd


## Fire and Cyclone Insurance.

For insurance on your Dwelling House, Store, Stock of Goods, Cotton Gins, Saw Mills, Barns or any other property, or on your life or live stock, call on
H. I. MCDUFFIE, Agent,
Fayetteville, N. C.
Office in Thornton Block, Room No. 10.
Oct. 16, 1890. 1m

OPERA HOUSE.

ONE WEEK COMMENCING OCTOBER 20th.

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S MATINEE SATURDAY AFTERNOON.

TENNYSON & DAWSON'S GRAND GIFT CARNIVAL

OF WELL-KNOWN ARTISTS, THE PICK OF THE PROFESSION, ESPECIALLY ENGAGED FOR THIS COMPANY.

100 ELEGANT AND VALUABLE PRESENTS GIVEN AWAY AT EACH SHOW.

Admission 20, 35 and 50 Cents.

Reserved Seats now on sale at PEMBERTON'S BOOK AND MUSIC STORE.
Oct 16-1t.

## ANNOUNCEMENT.

MRS. E. G. SPENCER, with grateful acknowledgment of the liberal patronage with which her friends have rewarded her efforts in the past, desires to announce to the ladies of the

Elegant and Beautiful

in fall and winter displays of

STYLISH MILLINERY

that her present stock far surpasses anything she has previously had in store, and the ladies will find everything to meet their wants in HATS, BONNETS, TRIMMINGS, NOTIONS, &c., in her assortment.

MISS LIDA E. WRIGHT who has spent some time in the workrooms of fashionable *modistes* of New York, will be with her hereafter, and Miss Wright's faultless taste and intimate acquaintance with the needs of customers is a guarantee of unqualified satisfaction.
Oct. 16, 1890—tf


## Administrator's Notice.

The undersigned having qualified as administrator of the estate of Kenion Phillips, deceased, hereby gives notice to all parties having claims against said estate to present them on or before October 16, 1890, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery. All persons indebted are requested to settle.
GEO. M. ROSE,
Oct 16-6t. Administrator.


## Furnished Rooms.

One or two gentlemen can secure front room (without board), quiet and centrally located on Hay street. Address BOX R.
Oct. 16, 1890. 2t


## LOST!

On Sunday night, 5th inst., probably between the Hay Street Methodist Church and the residence of Mrs. H. C. Fisher, on Person street, a small oxydized ladies' watch, with fob chain, to which was attached a golden horn charm. The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving the same at OBSERVER OFFICE.
Oct. 16, 1890. 1t

**North Carolina—Cumberland County,**

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

Wilmington & Weldon Railroad Company vs. O. W. Pearce, G. G. Smith and Wife Ella Smith and Miss Mary Pearce.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the plaintiff has commenced an action against the defendants by issuing summons against them and that the defendants, O. W. Pearce, G. G. Smith and wife, Ella Smith, are non residents of the State, and after due diligence cannot be found therein so that service can be had upon them: It is now ordered that publication be made for four weeks in the FAYETTEVILLE OBSERVER, a newspaper published in the town of Fayetteville, N. C., commanding the said O. W. Pearce and G. G. Smith and wife, Ella Smith, to appear before the undersigned Clerk of the Superior Court for Cumberland county at his office at the Court house in Fayetteville, N. C., on the 15th day of November, 1890, to answer, plead or demur to the plaintiff's petition filed therein; and let the defendants take notice that if they fail to appear and answer or demur the plaintiff will take judgment for the relief demanded in the petition. This is a proceeding to condemn for right of way for plaintiff's railroad a strip of land one hundred and thirty feet wide, over the land of the defendants three miles south of Fayetteville and known as the Pearce Vineyard. The strip being that on the line last located and running near the mill. This 15th day of October 1890.
CHAS. G. CAIN,
GEO. M. ROSE, Clerk Superior Court.
Plaintiff's Attorney.
Oct 16-4t.


# "ALL'S WELL THAT ENDS WELL,"

—AND—

All things work well to those who purchase their Heavy and Fancy Groceries of

D. A. McMILLAN, Ag't,
Fayetteville, N. C.

Among the popular Wholesale and Retail Heavy and Fancy Grocery Houses of the Cape Fear Section is that of D. A. McMILLAN, of Fayetteville, N. C., which is filled to overflowing with one of the best Selected and Assorted Stocks of Fine Groceries, Hardware and Willow-ware, Table and Pocket Cutlery etc. Every line is thoroughly complete, and every article he sells is guaranteed to be as represented. Special inducements will be given on the following articles:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bacon, | Hams, | Shoulders, | Breakfast-Strips, |
| Lard, | Salt-Fish, | Mountain Butter, | Canned Beef, |
| Oysters, | Lobsters, | Sardines, | Potted Ham, |
| Potted Tongue, | Sugar, | Coffee, | Tea, |
| Cheese, | Molasses, | Syrup, | Pepper, |
| Spice, | Ginger, | Mace, | Tapioca, Gelatine, |
| Pickles, | Flour, | Meal, | Hominy, |
| Rice, | Crackers, | Soda, | Starch, |
| Soap, | Star Lye, | Tobacco, | Cigars, |
| Snuff, | Lamps, | Lamp Goods, | Brooms, |
| Table and Pocket Cutlery, | | Willow-ware, | Glass-ware, |

Fayetteville Iron and Brass-Bound Buckets, &c., &c.

A call is all he asks. Thankful for past favors he respectfully solicits a continuance. Remember the place.
D. A. McMILLAN, Ag't,
Oct. 16, 1890—3m] Person Street, Fayetteville, N. C.

# PLUSH SEATED CHAIRS.

WE HAVE JUST OPENED A NEW LOT OF THOSE

Elegant Plush Seated Chairs,

WHICH HAVE PROVEN SUCH AN ATTRACTION. NEW DESIGNS AND COLORS, DIFFERENT FROM ANY WE HAVE EVER HAD.

WE HAVE ALSO A LOT OF ROCKERS, PLAIN AND FANCY, FOR UPHOLSTERING AT HOME.

Call Early and Secure a Choice.

S. SHEETZ & SONS.
Oct. 16, 1890.

## Millinery, Fancy Goods, &c.

A Splendid Stock Coming in Every Day.

Selected with care from the best stocks in the Northern Cities.

WE CAN SUIT THE MOST FASTIDIOUS IN STYLES, PRICES AND QUALITY, AT

DYE'S BAZAAR.
Fayetteville, Sept. 25, 1890.

## The Best Boots and Shoes

FOR YOUR MONEY

—AT—

# THE RACKET STORE

OUR NEW YORK PARTNER BOUGHT LARGE LOTS BEFORE THE RISE AND NO ONE CAN COMPETE WITH US IN PRICES.

All kinds of Seasonable Goods in Dry Goods, Hats, Notions, &c. &c. &c.

Our Stock of Hardware, Tinware, Cutlery, &c.. —UNUSUALLY LARGE AND PRICES UNUSUALLY LOW EVEN FOR US.—

Great Drive in Towels.

☞ CALL AND SEE US.

THE RACKET STORE,
THORNTON BLOCK.
September 18, 1890.

—THE—

PREMIER FLOUR OF AMERICA.

PATAPSCO FLOURING MILLS.

ESTABLISHED - - - 1774.

PERFECTION IN FLOUR.

OUR PATENT ROLLER FLOURS

ARE MANUFACTURED FROM THE CHOICEST WHEAT OBTAINABLE.

Patapsco Superlative Patent,

The Premier Flour of America,

Is Unsurpassed for Bread, Biscuit or Pastry.

☞ Ask your grocer for

PATAPSCO SUPERLATIVE PATENT, ROLANDO CHOICE PATENT
MEDORA, HIGH GRADE WINTER PATENT,
PATAPSCO FAMILY PATENT, ORANGE GROVE EXTRA,
BALDWIN FAMILY, MAPLETON FAMILY.

C. A. GAMBRILL MANUFACTURING CO., 214 Commerce Street, Baltimore, Md.
Represented by Mr. B. R. TAYLOR, Fayetteville, N. C.
sep 18

## A. B. WILLIAMS,

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.,

Commission Merchant, Buyer of Cotton and Naval Stores, and Dealer in Hair, Lime, Plaster Paris and Cement.

Will pay the highest market quotation for cotton handled at his place of business, Hay street, or will buy from platform if seller prefer to have the cotton weighed and graded by a platform weigher.
Sept. 11, 1890. 6m


## EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

The undersigned having qualified as executor of the last will and testament of Robert Gilmore, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to his estate to make immediate payment; and all persons having claims against said estate will present them for payment within twelve months from this date, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.
D. A. BRYANT,
Executor of Robert Gilmore.
Cumberland Co., N. C., Sept. 18, 1890. 6tpd

## Administrator's Notice.

The undersigned having qualified as administrator of John C. Blocker, dec'd, hereby notifies all persons indebted to the estate to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against the estate of his intestate to present them for payment within the time prescribed by law, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery.
O. H. BLOCKER,
Adm'r of John C. Blocker.
R. P. BUXTON, Att'y.
Fayetteville, N. C., Sept. 24, 1890. 6w

### BE PATIENT AND BE PURE.

BY GRANT P. ROBINSON.

What matter if the clouds are dark
That gather o'er thy head,
If hunger stare thee in the face,
Thy friends and fortune fled?
Have faith and pray unto thy God
To aid thee to endure,
And through the darkest hours of life
Be patient and be pure.

Temptation passes by the strong,
And seeks the weak and frail,
And seems to know the day and hour
When we are prone to fail.
But spurn the tempter and his wiles:
To those who can endure
God's strength will come; then heed these words—
Be patient and be pure.

Spurn the smooth lip and lying tongue
That tells thee, "Fill thy purse;
Heed not the means, but fill it well
No matter what may curse."
And stand erect in manhood's might,
The struggle to endure,
With this thy motto, all through life:—
Be patient and be pure.

### TO THE BLUE AND THE GRAY!

Camp fires are smothered, tents are laid by,
Haversacks are empty, canteens are dry;
No cannon here now, no muskets, no drum,
Federal, Confederate, we welcome you:—come!

Secession is forgotten, bitter feelings have flown,
The Southland is your land, not ours alone;
Closed doors are open, friendship's feast is spread,
Here's prosperity to the living, peace to the dead.

### The Value of Cotton Seed.

H. B. Battle, N. C. Experiment Station.]

The surplus cotton seed from the cotton crop years ago were thrown away as worthless. Afterwards they were used alone as a fertilizer on the coming crop, or in the compost heap. To a limited extent they were then fed to stock without crushing. The next and greatest advance was in separating the hull and kernel, and in expressing the oil. The oil cake when ground, known as meal, became to be used as a stock food and as a fertilizer. The hulls were first used for fuel—the ash being used for a strong fertilizer—but afterwards were used also for stock food. The combination of meal and hulls furnishes a complete food, and is becoming to be extensively used for fattening purposes. The oil is used as a component of compound lard for cooking, for lubricating and similar purposes, and when refined is sold as "pure olive oil." The lower grade is used for soap-making. A small quantity of lint is removed from the seed by improved gins. The following shows the value of the product made from one ton cotton seed by the most improved process, giving the average selling prices:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Oil, 40 gals. weighing 302 lbs., at 30 cts., | | $12.00 |
| Meal, weighing 675 lbs., at $24 ton, | | 8.10 |
| Hulls, " 1,000 " at $ 3 ton, | | 1.50 |
| Lint, " 27 " at 4 cts., | | 1.08 |
| | | $22.68 |
| Cost of one ton, 66½ bushels, at 18 cts., | | $12.00 |
| Excess, | | $10.68 |

As early as 1770 the Moravians of Bethlehem, Pa., separated the oil from the cotton seed. And in 1783 the Society for the Encouragement of Arts and Commerce in London, recognizing the value of cotton seed oil cake as a stock food, offered gold and silver medals for the best cake and the best oil extracted from the seed. Verily, there is nothing new under the sun.

### The Time to Sow Wheat.

W. R. Lipscomb in the Spartan.]

I am an old farmer, and never have failed in raising wheat, and I always sow it. The nearest ever I came to a failure was back in the fifties, when I sowed very poor land, and gave a man a dollar a day to cut it for me, and he cut thirteen dozen in a day and worked hard all day, for I bound after him and knew that he worked faithfully.

In the first place, I do not now sow poor land in wheat. In the second, I only sow rich lots, or fresh lands, and sow in October. If your wheat seems to be in danger of frost in the spring of the year from rapid growth, pasture it down in February and March, when the ground is dry. Top-dress in February with lot manure or guano, and apply meat salt, four or five bushels to the acre. I am now preparing a one acre lot, and want to sow it soon, and hope to get forty bushels. That is all I expect to sow. I have raised as much as 440 bushels of wheat in one year. The last two years I have been very successful in raising wheat.

### Turn the Weeds Under.

In answer to a correspondent relative to the best means of utilizing the possible fertilizer from a heavy growth of weeds, Dr. W. L. Jones, formerly of the *Southern Cultivator*, says that the weeds should be turned under with a large turn plow and chain or weed hook.

If this is done about 15th October they would rot by the 15th November, and no special harm be done by the sun. When the weeds are burned the soil loses humus, which sandy soils greatly need, also a goodly share of nitrogen, which is the chief valuable ingredient in cotton seed meal. In addition to phosphate and cotton seed meal, sandy soil would do better with some potash fertilizer added. Beans especially need potash. 100 pounds each of phosphate and meal and 50 pounds of muriate potash would make a good combination, 400 pounds to the acre in drill, 800 pounds broadcast.

### Sure Death to Borers.

N. E. Homestead.]

Do not hunt for borers at all, but just doctor them a little. Make a mixture of about one quart of wood ashes to a pail of water, and stir it well. Next make a ridge of earth around the tree a few inches from it, and high enough so when you pour your mixture into the circle it will run into the holes and kill the worms. It is sure death to them, and costs less than one cent a tree. I have used it for years, and always with perfect success. You may have to do it twice the first year, but after that a very little care will keep your trees free of them. If you have no wood ashes, use a thin whitewash of lime in its place. If you have a large number of trees, you can use strips of zinc or sheet iron about four or five inches wide, and long enough to put about the tree in place of the circle of earth.

### Nearing the Homestretch.

He was taking her home after the theatre and a little supper at Delmonico's.

"Darling," said he suddenly, as he gazed dreamily at the silvery disc overhead, "why am I like the moon?"

"It isn't because you're full, is it?" she asked, as she edged away from him.

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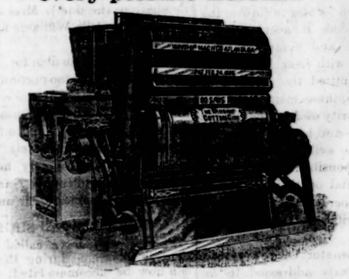

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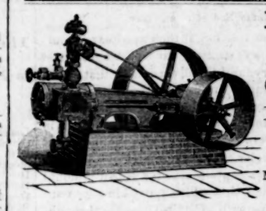

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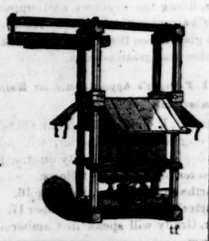

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| Leave Greensboro | 5.10 p m | | |
| Leave Walnut Cove | 6.32 p m | | |
| Arrive Mt. Airy | 8.25 p m | | |
| Leave Bennettsville | | 8.26 a m | |
| Arrive Maxton | | 9.25 a m | |
| Leave Maxton | | 9.45 a m | |
| Arrive Fayetteville | | 11.45 a m | |
| Leave Ramseur | | | 6.50 a m |
| Arrive Greensboro | | | 9.25 a m |
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| Leave Greensboro | 9.50 a m | | |
| Leave Sanford | 12.19 p m | | |
| Arrive Fayetteville | 1.50 p m | | |
| Leave Fayetteville | 2.15 p m | | |
| Arrive Wilmington | 5.45 p m | | |
| Leave Fayetteville | | 3.30 p m | |
| Arrive Maxton | | 5.20 p m | |
| Leave Maxton | | 5.30 p m | |
| Arrive Bennettsville | | 6.45 p m | |
| Leave Madison | | | 1.21 p m |
| Arrive Greensboro | | | 3.30 p m |
| Leave Greensboro | | | 3.45 p m |
| Arrive Ramseur | | | 6.50 p m |

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AND BRANCHES.

**Condensed Schedule.**

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

| DATED Sept. 10, 1890. | No. 23. Daily. | No. 27. Daily. |
|---|---|---|
| Leave Weldon | 12 30 P. M. | 5 43 P. M. |
| Arrive Rocky Mount | 1 46 " | |
| Arrive Tarboro | 2 17 P. M. | |
| Leave Tarboro | 10 20 A. M. | |
| Arrive Wilson | 2 20 P. M. | 7 00 P. M. |
| Leave Wilson | 12 30 " | |
| Arrive Selma | 3 25 " | |
| Arrive Fayetteville | 5 51 " | |
| Leave Goldsboro | 3 15 " | 7 10 " |
| Leave Warsaw | 4 10 " | |
| Leave Magnolia | 4 24 " | 8 40 P. M. |
| Arrive Wilmington | 5 50 " | 9 55 P. M. |

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

| | No. 14. Daily. | No. 78. Daily. |
|---|---|---|
| Leave Wilmington | 12 01 A. M. | 9 00 A. M. |
| Leave Magnolia | 1 21 " | 10 34 " |
| Leave Warsaw | 1 37 " | 10 48 " |
| Arrive Goldsboro | 2 23 A. M. | 11 45 " |
| Leave Fayetteville | | 9 23 A. M. |
| Arrive Selma | | 11 18 " |
| Arrive Wilson | | 12 20 P. M. |
| Leave Wilson | 3 03 A. M. | 12 37 P. M. |
| Arrive Rocky Mount | | 1 19 " |
| Arrive Tarboro | | 2 00 " |
| Leave Tarboro | | 10 29 A. M. |
| Arrive Weldon | 4 20 A. M. | 2 45 P. M. |

"Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3:15 P. M., Halifax 3:37 P. M., arrive Scotland Neck at 4:25 P. M. Greenville 6:00 P. M. Returning, leaves Greenville 7:30 A. M. Arriving Halifax at 10:10 A. M., Weldon 10:30 A. M. daily except Sunday.

On Monday, Wednesday and Friday, Local Freight leaves Weldon 10:30 A. M., Halifax 11:50 A. M. Scotland Neck 2:00 P. M. Arriving Greenville 5:10 P. M. Returning, leave Greenville Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday 9:30 A. M. Scotland Neck 1:00 P. M., Halifax 3:35 P. M. Arriving Weldon 4:00 P. M.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., via Albemarle & Raleigh R. R. Daily except Sunday, 4:05 P. M. Sunday 3:00 P. M. arrive Williamston N. C. 6:38 P. M. 4:20 P. M. Plymouth 7:50 P. M. 5:20 P. M. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 6:00 A. M. Sunday 9:00 A. M. Williamston, N. C., 7:10 A. M. 9:58 A. M. Arrive Tarboro 9:20 A. M. 11:20 A. M.

Train on Midland N. C. Branch leaves Goldsboro, N. C., Daily except Sunday, 6:00 A. M., arrive Smithfield, N. C. 7:50 A. M. Returning, leaves Smithfield, N. C., 8:00 A. M., arrive Goldsboro, N. C., 9:30 A. M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 3:00 P. M., arrives Nashville 3:40 P. M. Spring Hope 4:15 P. M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 10:00 A. M., Nashville 10:35 A. M., arrive Rocky Mount 11:15 A. M., daily, except Sunday.

Train on Clinton, branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, Daily, except Sunday, at 6:00 P. M. and 11:10 A. M. Returning, leaves Clinton at 8:25 A. M and 3:10 P. M., connecting at Warsaw with Nos. 41, 40, 23 and 78.

Southbound Train on Wilson & Fayetteville Branch is No. 51. Northbound is No. 50. "Daily except Sunday.

Train No. 27 South will stop only at Wilson, Goldsboro and Magnolia.

Train No. 78 makes close connection at Weldon for all points North daily. All rail via Richmond, and daily except Sunday via Bay Line.

All Trains run solid between Wilmington and Washington, and have Pullman Palace Sleepers attached.

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